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MOVEMENT FOR REFORM DEFENDED

In a Letter From Troubetsky to Prince Mirsky—The Revolutionary Movement is Deep Seated and Terrible to the People

NEW YORK—Jan 6—(Special)—A. St. Petersburg despatch to The Sun says:— Prince Troubetsky, president of the Moscow Zemstvo has written a letter to Prince Mirsky, Minister of the Interior, defending the discussion of Reforms by the Moscow Zemstvo which called forth the condemnation of the Czar.

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COMING EVENTS.

City Council meets on the second Monday in each month. Dr. F. F. Kell Mayor. W. W. Clarke, City Clerk.

THE RECORDS MADE DURING LAST YEAR

Brilliant Season In Track and Field Athletics

Just Drawn to a Close—Features of 1904 Which Made Past Year Full of Interest to Sportsmen

In the matter of athletic records the year of 1904 has been one of remarkable brilliancy in all classes of sports, new marks having been hung up in the various competitions, says the Bangor Commercial.

Outside of the race track features in 1904, the most important athletic events of the world were the Olympic games during the World's Fair at St. Louis and the international varsity contests between Yale and Harvard versus Cambridge and Oxford in England. For the St. Louis championships athletes gathered from all parts of the world, and the New York A. C. team, with the aid of two or three athletes who made new records, carried off the honors.

In the Olympic regatta at St. Louis, F. B. Greer, of Boston, won in the championship singles in 10:08 3/4. C. S. Titus, of New York, won the senior single race of the Middle States Association regatta on the Harlem river Labor day.

One of the best swimming records of the year was that of Dan. B. Reneer at Honolulu in November, who was credited with 101 yards straightaway in still water in one minute flat, a new world's record by something over a full second. B. Keran, of Australia, a mere boy, was the brilliant star of 1904. He came suddenly into prominence and set up an almost entire set of new open-water records, from 350 yards to one mile, which he covered in 14m. 36 1/2 s.

On the American turf new records were hung up by Tanya of 51 3/5 seconds for four and a half furlongs; by Artful of 1:08 for three-quarters of a mile; by Martinus and Mineola of 1:18 2/5 for six and a half furlongs; by Orthodex of 1:38 for one mile; by Broomstick of 2:02 1/2 for one mile and a quarter; by Ostich of 2:19 for one and five-sixteenths miles, and by Irish Lad of 2:17 3/5 for one and three-eighths miles. At San Francisco, Dec. 19, Dainty ranseven and a half furlongs in 1:32.

The fastest mile trotted in 1904 without a wind shield or pacemaker in front was 2:01 by Lou Dillon at Memphis on Nov. 11. Major Delmar, under same conditions and on the same track Oct. 25, trotted a mile in 2:04, and a day later made a world's record of 2:07 to a plain axle high-wheel sulky, reducing the mark of 2:08 1/2 made by Mand S. in Cleveland 10 years before. Dan Patch was the only successful record-breaker with the use of the wind shield in 1904, pacing a mile in 1:36 at Memphis, Oct. 28. His best performance without the use of a wind shield was 2:04, at Memphis.

CHURCH SERVICES.

Changes to be made in Church services should be at this office not later than one o'clock Friday afternoon.

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CHURCH OF CHRIST. Services at 11 a. m. and 3.45 p. m.

CENTRAL CHRISTIAN. Rev. W. W. Lodge at 11 and Rev. R. W. Stevenson at 7. Sunday School at 2.30. Prayer meeting Wednesday night at 8 o'clock. Seats free and unappropriated.

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SALVATION ARMY. Sunday Services at 7, 11, 3, and 7.30 p. m. Week night Service Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday at 7.30.

WEEK OF PRAYER.

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