

AGREE ON MEAT BILL

President and House Committee Get Together On Disputed Points. Washington, June 19.—The basis of a complete agreement on the meat inspection legislation between President Roosevelt and the house committee on agriculture was arrived at at the White House.

The section waiving the civil service law for one year in the selection of inspectors will go out of the provision, also one of the president's recommendations.

JEW MASSACRED IN RUSSIA

Hebrew Anarchist Threw Bomb into Christians and Many Were Killed. Bialystok, Russia, June 14.—A Jewish anarchist threw a bomb among the Corpus Christi procession which was in progress here, and killed or wounded many persons.

Immediately after the explosion Jews began to fire with revolvers from the windows of the house into the crowd. Soldiers surrounded the house and fired two volleys into the windows.

MURDERER ENTOMBED ALIVE

Slayer of Thirty-six Women Paid Awful Penalty For Crime. London, June 16.—A dispatch from Tangier to a news agency here says: "According to advices from Marakesh, the Cobbler Mesfawi, who had been convicted of the murder of 36 women, whose bodies were found buried under his shop and in his garden, has expired his crime.

CHILD DIES IN AGONY

Potomaine Poison Followed Eating of Ice Cream and Strawberries. Millville, N. J., June 15.—Miss Flora Bowker, 14 years old, died in terrible agony from ptomaine poisoning.

Valuable Race Horse Dead.

New York, June 18.—James R. Keene's famous 4-year-old colt Sysonby, conceded last year to be the best horse in training in America, died in his stall at the Sheepshead bay race track of blood poisoning.

Potomaine Poison Kills Three.

Little Rock, Ark., June 19.—J. B. Baremore, a farmer residing near Fort Smith, and his two children, Emma, aged 5 years, and James, aged 18 months, died in a hospital at Fort Smith of ptomaine poisoning.

JOHN J. KEAN THE KIDNAPPER

Philadelphia, June 19.—Freddie Muth, the 7-year-old son of Jeweler Charles Muth, who was kidnapped from the Muhlenburg public school last Tuesday, was found in a vacant house and returned to his grief-stricken parents.

From the day of the kidnapping until the arrest Kean had kept the child in three vacant houses in West Philadelphia. Meantime the entire detective and police force of this city were conducting an unremitting search, and the authorities of other cities had been furnished with a description of the boy and his captor.

Had No Confederate.

Captain Donaghy, of the local detective force, however, was convinced that Kean and the child were in the city, the evidence of this being in the five letters which the kidnapper sent to Mr. Muth negotiating for the return of the boy.

The first information that Kean and his captive were in the vicinity in which the arrest was eventually made came from Joseph Sager, a baker at 60th street and Haverford avenue, who told a policeman last week that he had seen a man and boy answering the description of the pair in an oyster saloon at 6013 Haverford avenue shortly after midnight last Wednesday.

Sager, the baker, was acquainted with Kean, and the police were thus enabled to obtain his address. They visited his home and learned from his wife that he had not been there with her knowledge since last Monday, the day previous to the abduction.

Found Boy On Roof of House.

Special Officers Clare and Vale again instituted a search of the vacant houses in their district, and they paid another visit to the dwellings 423, 425 and 427 North 62d street.

Fired On Kidnapper.

Freddie said "Hello," and immediately began to cry. Vale leaped through the window and stepped across the roof to the adjoining house. He was just in time to see Kean hurrying down the stairs.

The news of the capture had reached the centre of the city, and when the prisoner and the boy arrived at the city hall a great crowd had gathered.

With the boy, he was taken into Mayor Weaver's office, and the mayor immediately communicated by telephone with Mr. Muth, who hastened to the Mayor's office, and the meeting between father and child was most affecting.

ing. When his father had ceased to hug and caress him, Freddie drew several small coins from his pocket and showed them to Mr. Muth, saying in his childish way that the man had given them to him.

Was Not Ill Treated.

The child bore no evidence of ill treatment beyond lack of sufficient nourishment. He had been fed on bread and milk which Kean had stolen from doorsteps. When found he held a couple of crusts of bread in his hands and his school book was under his arm.

Not since the abduction of Charlie Ross has this community been so wrought up by the commission of a criminal act. The newspapers, in order to aid the police in tracking the kidnapper, were compelled to publish misleading stories for the purpose of throwing Kean off his guard.

Was in Financial Straits.

Kean told the police in his statement that he abducted the boy primarily to secure the \$400 he had embezzled from Charles J. Cooke. In addition, he said, he is in debt, with no means of providing for his family.

Previous to kidnapping the Muth child, he had attempted unsuccessfully to abduct Louis Kolasky, a 6-year-old boy, whose parents he believed were well-to-do.

Kean's parents live at 967 Park avenue, New York. His brother is to be ordained to the priesthood this month. It developed after Kean's arrest that he had stolen \$20,000 from the Harlem Bank, New York, when he was bookkeeper in 1894. He admitted the theft.

Crowd Cheered Little Fellow.

Freddie, with his books still under his arm, was welcomed home by more than 1000 persons. Mr. Muth had gone to City Hall, and Mrs. Muth, who had been prostrated by the crime, rose from her bed to welcome her child.

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Foresight.

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