

HAU ESCAPES EXECUTION.

**Sentence of Convicted Murderer Com-
muted to Life Imprisonment.**

KARLSRUHE, Dec. 2.—The death sentence passed upon Karl Hau for the murder of his mother-in-law, Frau Molitor, has been commuted to life imprisonment.

Karl Hau was at one time Professor of Roman Law in the George Washington University, Washington, D. C. In November, 1906, he was arrested in London on the charge of having murdered his mother-in-law at Baden Baden on the 5th of that month. He was extradited, and his trial, which attracted widespread interest throughout Germany, resulted in his being condemned to death.

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