

MEXICAN PLOT WITH RADICALS IS DISCLOSED

Fall Makes Public Memorandum Showing Carranza's Intrigue with I. W. W.

SCHEMED REVOLUTION TO START IN NOVEMBER

Letters Mention Possibility of Steel and Coal Strikes Being Aid-Capital To Be in State of Colorado.

By the Associated Press. WASHINGTON, Dec. 8.—Evidence that radicals in Mexico with the knowledge and support of President Carranza plotted to instigate a revolution in the United States and to seize the border states acquired by the American government in 1848, is contained in the memorandum presented to President Wilson by Senator Frank P. New, Mexico, chairman of the foreign relations sub-committee investigating the Mexican situation.

From I. W. W. sources. Plans for the proposed revolution were obtained by the sub-committee from the minutes of a meeting last October 15 in Mexico City, of Lodge Twenty-Three, an organization of extreme agitators and members of the I. W. W. The Mexican president is linked most directly with the plot through correspondence in which he recommends "the plan for special consideration because of the connection with the plan which they desire to put into practice in the state of Texas."

The names of the committee states have been identified as active agents of Lodge Twenty-Three. The memorandum which contains an abstract of the evidence collected by the committee, was delivered to the president by Senator Fall Friday night and made public today.

Expected Big Strikes

The notes of the October 15 meeting of the lodge declare "these organized three delegates, two Americans and one Mexican, who had arrived from the United States and who claimed that 'the society' would be able at the beginning of next November (that is, November, 1914), to call a general strike of all miners and metal workers in the United States; that they have 3,000,000 adherents in that country; where they will be able to raise one western and two Atlantic ports; that a large number of American soldiers were preparing to take sides with them; and that they proposed to establish a capital of the reformed government of the United States in the state of Colorado; that when such a revolution was successful the Mexican territory then to be returned to the border states which were acquired by the United States under the treaty of 1848; would be returned to Mexico."

The three men referred to are the names, the memorandum states, as those mentioned by Carranza, in letters of which the committee has secured photostatic copies. The first of these letters, dated June 4, and addressed to General Aguirre, Berlanga, Mexican minister of Gobernacion, says:

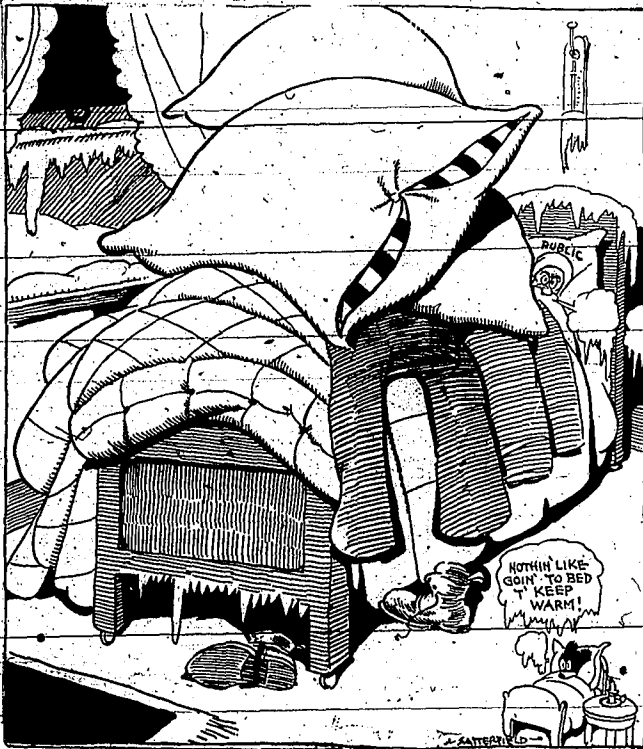
From Carranza's Letter. "Senior Lino Caballo, bearer of this letter, is the person who, in company with two friends, will bring to you the manifesto and the plan which they desire to put into practice in the state of Texas."

Other information secured by the committee and which it regards as reliable, indicates that negotiations between Mexico and Japan. The document in possession of the committee states that one high official of Mexico would communicate to another high official that "the treaty with Japan is coming along" and that the writer is convinced of the "great advantage it would bring Mexico for its national integrity."

Reference is contained in another

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If the Coal Strike Continues Much Longer



Questions For Mr. Detweiler

In a circular distributed yesterday, and in the advertising columns of the Chronicle this morning, Mr. D. F. Detweiler says: "I will be on the floor at the annual meeting and challenge the Chronicle or anyone else to ask any question on any subject concerned. I will be there to answer them all and let the public judge whether or not I am telling the truth."

Agreeable with this desire on the part of Mr. Detweiler, and in the hope that he will make his answers full and explicit as well as truthful, the Chronicle submits the following questions, all of vital concern to the shareholders of the canal company:

1. Why is it that each time you have sought to move the funds of the canal company, you attempted to make the depository the bank from which you were receiving personal accommodations?
2. Do you consider the canal company funds a personal asset, to be used to help bolster your own credit?
3. Have you been enabled to secure loans for a less rate of interest by reason of representations regarding your ability to favor banks with canal company deposits?
4. Over your own signature in a circular letter you say: "A salary of \$8,000 a year is being paid to a Utah man while he tries to familiarize himself with our big irrigation system." Did you not vote to fix this salary at \$3,000, raising it from \$7,000? Would you now vote to discharge this man?
5. In the event you secure control of the canal company board, whom would you name as manager? Elmer Aman? If not, whom?
6. You now say you favor the retention of W. O. Taylor as secretary. Then why did you vote against him in the directors' meeting? And why did you wait to announce your support of him till the day before election?
7. If you control the canal company board will you be in favor of buying from Dan Denton his water rights on Rock creek? If so, at what price? Please define said water rights.
8. Do you still favor employing one Turner K. Hackman as attorney for the canal company? If so, at what salary?
9. Will you do as you did last year, and vote all of the proxies gathered in your behalf for yourself, or will you divide evenly with your running mates?

AIRPLANE MAIL SERVICE

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 8.—An airplane mail service between San Diego and the port of Los Angeles for mail of the Pacific coast is expected to be inaugurated in the near future.

ON TRIAL FOR MURDER

By the Associated Press. PUEBLO, Colo., Dec. 8.—Mrs. Elizabeth Hackler, charged with the murder of Charles E. Goldstein, 17-year-old son of the defendant's daughter, was placed on trial here today.

GERMANS DENY REQUEST FOR PACT MODIFICATION

German Told Military Measures May Be Used Against Those Who Delay Continues.

By the Associated Press. LAHAI, Dec. 8.—The supreme council's notes dealing with the peace treaty were delivered to Baron von Lersner head of the German delegation this evening.

The first note denies the German demands for modification of the treaty on the surrender of German troops charged with crimes against international welfare and the return of prisoners. It agrees to consider the economic effects of the indemnity required for the sinking of the warship in the Scapa flow on Germany in "a spirit of equity, after a hearing by the reparations commission."

The note warns Germany "for the last time" that denunciation of the armistice would give the allied armies all latitude for necessary military measures, and adds:

"In this spirit we await without delay signature of the protocol and the exchange of ratifications."

Regarding the coercion clause of the protocol the supreme council insisted that signature of the protocol and ratification will make the treaty effective and that the doctor's execution will be guaranteed by the general terms of the treaty and by other recognized methods. It recalls the Germans "pretended light" to modification of the treaty clauses as compensation for the absence of Americans from the commission.

It declares that it is "vain for Germany to seek to delay the treaty's effectiveness because of the position of the Americans with regard to the commission."

The second note deals entirely with the Scapa flow incident. It places the responsibility on the Germans for the sinking and says in the protest, only an attempt, difficult to explain, to delay the treaty.

The note cites the secret message of the chief of the German admiralty (Admiral von Trotha) to Admiral von Sauter, in command of the German crews of the Scapa flow ships, dated May, telling him that the fleet's disposition "cannot be decided without us. It will be finished by us and delivery to the enemy avoided."

STECHER THROWS POLE

By the Associated Press. NEW YORK, Dec. 8.—Joe Stecher of Dodge, Neb., threw a 200-pound pole of Poland, in a catch-as-catch-can wrestling match here tonight, after a 20-minute struggle with the wrestler of Charles E. Goldstein, 17-year-old son of the defendant's daughter, was placed on trial here today.

Germany at an end, tonight appeared improbable until after the Christmas recess, scheduled to run from December 28 to January 5.

Republican leaders agreed to defer action temporarily on the Lodge resolution. Although a meeting of the foreign relations committee for Wednesday was arranged, Senator Lodge said his resolution, probably would await disposition by the house of a similar proposal.

Senator Lodge and Senator Hitchcock, Nebraska, administration leader, today indicated complete disagreement regarding the ratification of the treaty. The former declared the next move must come from President Wilson, while Senator Hitchcock, will emphasize, said the senate must act first.

"The treaty is dead so far as the senate is concerned, unless it is revived by the president," said Senator Lodge.

Senator Hitchcock reiterated his opposition to bringing the treaty before the senate again, "to have it kicked about like a football before a compromise is reached."

NEWBERRY TRIAL IS SET FOR JAN. 2

By the Associated Press. GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., Dec. 8.—Trial of Truman J. Newberry of Detroit, United States senator from Michigan and 131 others indicted on charges of fraud and corruption in connection with Newberry's election in 1913, will begin before District Judge C. W. Sisson's federal court January 27.

The date was agreed upon by Judge Sisson and attorneys representing the defendants immediately after completion of arrangements today when the senator and 24 of his principal campaign leaders, also indicted and plea of not guilty were directed by the court.

The purpose of the defense to arraign deniers was indicated by James C. Martin of counsel for the defense.

All the so-called principals were released on their own recognizance pending arraignment of bond of \$10,000 each on one indictment and \$500 on another.

Parabola was given Willis V. Cyprien of Frankfort, Mich., one of the defendants who had pleaded guilty to changing the plea to not guilty, leaving Allen K. Moore of Grand Rapids the only defendant to admit guilt.

THERMOMETER DROPS 6 POINTS; THEN RISES 2

After dropping from 10 degrees above zero at 9:30 last evening to 4 above at 10:30, temperature in Twin Falls remained stationary until after midnight, when a rise of two degrees was noted. The slight rise in temperature is accredited to a west wind which commenced about 9 o'clock and subsided about 11:30.

The hourly registering of the thermometer from 6:30 until 12:30 follows: 6:30, 10 degrees above zero; 7:30, 8 degrees above; 8:30, 6 degrees above; 9:30, 5 degrees above; 10:30, 4 degrees above; 11:30, 4 degrees above; 12:30, 6 degrees above.

SOLONS TO DROP PLAN TO ACT ON MEXICO

By the Associated Press. WASHINGTON, Dec. 8.—The resolution naming President Wilson to break off diplomatic relations with the Carranza government, was abandoned today by republican leaders in the senate after the president and in former Senator Fall of New Mexico, his author, said that he would "be prevailed upon to see my such resolution pass Congress."

In announcing after a conference with Senators Fall and Brandages of Connecticut, that the foreign relations committee would take no action on the resolution, Senator Lodge said: "We wanted to help, but now the active Mexican situation goes to the president. The responsibility is on his shoulders. Let it rest there."

WINS HASSLER'S HONORS

MANCHESTER, N. H., Dec. 8.—Walter Kotonian of Worcester, Mass., won the world's middleweight wrestling championship tonight from John Killion of this city in a well-fought 20-hour, 24-minute and 21-second match. The match was a "finish" one and Stecher scored the winning fall with a head scissor and wristlock.

UTILITY COMPANIES ARE COMPELLED

Only enough heat may be used in office, store, warehouse and manufacturing plants to keep the average temperature at 68 degrees Fahrenheit, and then only during the hours for which light is permitted, unless other hours enough heat is to be used to prevent freezing of water pipes or sprinkler systems.

No manufacturing plant or plant coming under power curtailment rules, heat (to 68 degrees Fahrenheit) will be allowed only during that time prescribed for use of power.

Limit of Three Days. No manufacturing plant or factory shall be furnished bituminous coal or coke, or heat, light and power from bituminous coal or coke furnished by or through the United States fuel administration for operation in excess of three days a week on the basis of present working hours.

The exceptions are dairies, refrigerator plants, bakeries, plants for the manufacture of necessary products, water works, sewerage plants, printing plants for the printing of newspapers only, battery charging outfits in connection with plants producing light or power for telephone, telegraph or public utility companies. Electric service must be curtailed as much as possible in accordance with the above regulations because of heat, light and power.

Electric railways shall regulate schedules to minimum requirements of service under revised curtailment regulations, and power to transfer heading, turning and power to transfer provided as far as possible by curtailment of service.

No heat shall be provided in residential buildings, hotels, restaurants, public buildings, schools, churches, synagogues, theaters, clubs, and other places where the public is gathered. Electric power shall be curtailed to a minimum in such places as to be consistent with the above regulations.

DISTRIBUTE COAL BY CARD SYSTEM

Entire Supply of Fuel in Hands of Dealers Taken By Card System.

The card system for the distribution of coal went into effect here yesterday morning and 48 tons of coal were disposed of by City Clerk Minnick before the day was over all of the supply of fuel in the hands of dealers is taken by consumers.

It is expected that two carloads will arrive here this morning.

City Clerk Minnick limited the amount issued yesterday to four pounds and caused all applicants to make an affidavit to the effect that they did not have coal on hand in excess of 500 pounds.

LATERAL SEWER IS FAST NEARING COMPLETION

The lateral sewer system which has been under construction for several months is now rapidly nearing completion and it is expected that it will be turned over to the city by the end of this week or the first part of next.

The snowfall of the last few weeks has delayed the sewer work somewhat, but notwithstanding the fact there has been five miles of sewer constructed in six weeks.

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BANK CLERK PLEADS GUILTY TO NINE COUNTS

By the Associated Press. SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 8.—A plea of guilty to nine of the 21 counts charging him with making false entries was entered in the United States district court here today by Harold E. Koughrey, accused with Frank A. Bush and William T. Grant of defaulting to the extent of \$728,295 from the Santa Rosa National bank.

MAYNARD SAVES BOOZE TO BLAME FOR DEATHS

By the Associated Press. NEW YORK, Dec. 8.—The secret of the failure of some of the pilots in the recent trans-continental air race can be attributed to too much booze, Lieutenant W. Maynard, the "flying parson" declared, in a statement made public tonight by the Air Station lounge.

"If all of them had been as sober as myself, I probably would not have been the winner," he added.

Although he declared he was "pro-

judged against strong drink" the "flying parson" admitted there are a few instances when a pilot might be justified in using it. He pointed out that the aviator might take a drink to "take him over" after becoming exhausted after continuous flying for 12 or 15 hours.

Lieutenant Maynard said that many fatal accidents were due to pilots flying "half intoxicated" or "with a bangover from the night before."

"A pilot needs every bit of gray matter God has given him in navigation and to have a brain clear from hangovers and the effects of booze is a great asset," he added.

CARPENTER WANTS TO MEET DEMPSKY IN PARIS

By the Associated Press. PARIS, Dec. 8.—Georges Carpentier, the French fighter, who won the championship of Europe from Joe Beckett, at London, returned to Paris this evening.

"I have signed nothing. I am waiting for offers. I want a little time to think it over," he said.

Carpentier spoke highly of the sportsmanship of the British public, but added he was sure America's champion, the American, would be equally fair. Nevertheless, he preferred to meet Dempsey in France.

Asked what he thought of his challenge with Dempsey, Carpentier said: "I understand Dempsey is a great fighter."

SALT LAKE CEMENT CO. SENSIBLY WITHOUT FUEL

By the Associated Press. SALT LAKE, Utah, Dec. 8.—The Utah Portland Cement company, which employs about 150 men at its plant here, ceased operation today on account of the coal shortage.

Work on various cement construction contracts which the company holds in Utah and Idaho also, will be stopped according to company officials.

10 - Winters, 40 Summers - Since Then Have Rolled Away

Party wintners and 40's summers have rolled away since persons who are living and well today first took the prescription for "Number 40 The Blood." "Number 40" is compounded from ingredients that are sold in the U. S. Dispensary and other authoritative medical books as follows: Employed in diseases of the glandular system, in blood troubles, mercurial and lead poisoning, acrofula, rheumatism, catarrh, constipation, liver and stomach ailments. Eradicates the cause of hemorrhoids, eruptions and acrofulous swellings that have withstood all other treatment and disappear as if by magic.

GET IN LINE FOR Prosperity To persuade one who has learned from experience the broad usefulness of the pay-by-check method to revert to the pocket-to-payee plan, would be as difficult as to persuade him to go backward once he has tasted the joy of getting ahead. In business, household and personal finances, the check-book method is the logical way to "keep track" of income and outgo. Find out for yourself what a Checking Account here can do for you. Twin Falls Bank & Trust Co. TWIN FALLS IDAHO "Member of Federal Reserve System"

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COMPLAINT TO RETURN

The defendant in the case of the Idaho Land and Improvement company and C. P. Braderson vs. W. L. Summers, filed answer and cross-complaint yesterday in the district court. The defendant asks in his cross-complaint that the plaintiff take nothing by his complaint and that the plaintiff be required to accept the tender and payment of the defendant and required to "execute a deed to the premises and that he be given \$2000 damages."

FUNERAL SERVICES TO BE HELD THIS MORNING

Funeral services for Mrs. Alice A. Pope, who died at a local hospital Saturday night, will be held from 10 to 11 o'clock this morning. Interment will be in Twin Falls cemetery.

NOTICE TO CITY WATER MEN

During the cold weather the water department will maintain a night service. Any one wanting water turned on or off will please call the office, No. 87.

FILE AN ANSWER

The Idaho Land and Improvement company and others filed answer to the amended complaint of J. M. Stearns yesterday in the district court.

The Twin Falls Branch of the American Red Cross will hold their annual election of officers Saturday, December 13th, in their room, corner Shoehone and Third South, at 6 o'clock—Adv. K-12-13

Society

Honoring Mrs. Fred Dubois, well-known Boise and Washington society matron, who is in Twin Falls the guest of Mrs. Charles L. Hart, Mrs. W. O. Taylor, assisted by her daughter, Miss Suzanne, entertained with an elaborate luncheon yesterday. The table was decorated with potted ferns and blue candles. During the afternoon Mrs. Taylor and the summer boarders several delightful vocal solos. The guest list included Mrs. Dubois, Mrs. Charles L. Hart, and Mrs. R. H. Stevenson.

Among the charming affairs of the week was the bridge party given by Mrs. H. B. Johnson yesterday afternoon. Tables of cards were formed for the afternoon's enjoyment. Mrs. Harry Burger was high score of the afternoon. At 4:30 the hostess served a delightful luncheon. Mrs. Johnson was also hostess last evening at a bridge club at which the husbands were invited.

Mrs. George Willis was hostess last Saturday evening for two tables of bridge at which Mrs. Schout was successful in carrying off the prize of the evening. The house had as its decorations bunches of pink rose buds. Those present were Mrs. George Leopold, Mrs. Schout, Mrs. Thomas Hood, Mrs. Evelyn, Mrs. Erickson, Mrs. Connelly, and Mrs. Burton.

The Twin Falls post American legion will be hosts at a dance at the Lavering hall Monday evening. This will be one of the many dances given by the boys, which have proved such a success in the past.

The Hooper bridge club will meet at the home of Mrs. P. H. Crow Wednesday afternoon. A 1 o'clock luncheon will be served, after which the time will be spent with cards.

The Shamrock club will be entertained this Thursday at the home of Mrs. McGinnis. A clever program has been arranged for the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Johnson were hosts for a few of their friends at an informal party last Sunday evening.

Mrs. Charles Barrow will entertain for the Blue Laker, Boulevard club Friday afternoon. A program has been arranged for the afternoon.

The M. S. and S. club will be hostesses to their families for the dinner to be given at the home of Mrs. Shipman Wednesday.

Miss Helene Allmendinger will entertain the Studia club at her studio this evening.

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URGES DEVELOPMENT PACIFIC COAST YARDS

Special Naval Board Believes That \$158,000,000 Should be Spent in the West

WASHINGTON, Dec. 8.—Development of a fleet coast-naval shore establishment during the next five years at a cost of \$158,000,000 is recommended in the report of the special board headed by Rear Admiral J. S. McKean, sent last year to check up on its previous program.

Within three years of the base at San Francisco, saying that with the Bremerton base it would provide two deep water stations for the capital ships, the maximum required for efficient operation of the Pacific fleet.

The board agreed with the Helm commission (1917) that insufficient depth of water rendered the Mare Island yard unavailable for development as a base in San Francisco harbor and favored Alameda site over that at Hunter's Point.

The Bremerton navy yard, the board held, should be developed for the exclusive use of big craft, with a repair base for the Puget Sound submarine fleet at the Keyport torpedo station and an operating base for de-

stroyers, submarines and aircraft at Astoria, Oregon, on the Columbia river. The latter would require dredging the channel and serve also as an anchorage for big ships.

The urgency cannot be exaggerated when the lack of facilities for large ships at San Francisco and Mare Island is realized, the report said.

The strategic position of the Hawaiian Islands, the board said, made absolutely imperative the development of the Pearl Harbor station into a first class base adequate to "take care of the whole fleet in any movement, offensive or defensive, across the Pacific."

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mers, destroyers and aircraft at Astoria, Oregon, on the Columbia river. The latter would require dredging the channel and serve also as an anchorage for big ships.

All recommendations of the board for the deepening of water ways at the various stations were based upon ships of 40 feet draft and 1000 feet in length.

In addition to Admiral McKean, the acting chief of naval operations at the time, the inspection was made by the board was composed of Rear Admiral C. W. Parks, chief of the bureau of ships and docks, and Commander J. C. Millon of the bureau of supplies.

Considering the financial conditions of our country, it recommended for expenditure: the board said it had included "no items that are not necessary to the efficient and economical operation and maintenance of the fleet, that the providing of these necessary facilities would be done at a price at much less cost than they can be improvised and patched during war conditions."

The report says recommendations for increased facilities were already coming from the Pacific fleet, despite the fact that it was so recently established, making it clear that the fleet officers realized the necessity for the improvements proposed.

JOHNSON CROWD TO GO TO NEW YORK

But Agrees to Meet With Insurgent Directors in Eastern Metropolis

By the Associated Press. CHICAGO, Dec. 8.—The annual meeting of the American League scheduled to be held here Wednesday was called off today. President Johnson announced that he and the five "big" club owners would attend the meeting called in New York by Messrs. Conkley, Ruppert and Frazee.

At the secret meeting were: Frank Navin, Detroit; Connie Mack and Ben Shibe, Philadelphia; James Dugan, St. Louis; Phil Ball and Robert Quinn, St. Louis; and Alex Meisler and Chuck Griffith, Washington.

The presence of the club owners today came as a distinct surprise, they were not expected until Wednesday, the date of the meeting called by President Johnson. It is being held at 5:30 o'clock this afternoon in the Metropolitan Hotel, New York.

REPORT IS SATISFIED. NEW YORK, Dec. 8.—Colonel Jacob Ruppert of the New York Americans, expressed satisfaction to say that the meeting called in New York by Conkley, Ruppert and Frazee.

By the Associated Press. BOSTON, Dec. 8.—The recent secret indictment of John J. Ballan, a radical leader, under arrest at New Orleans for violation of the state anti-anarchist law by alleged inflammatory speeches, was announced by the district attorney today.

By the Associated Press. NEW YORK, Dec. 8.—Indictments charging 19 indictments with related anarchy were reported today by the extraordinary grand jury which has been investigating radical activities and other subjects.

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that the department of justice of the federal government had declined to them that the non-partisan league representatives of which are expected to attend the conference of liberals, had violated the laws and that it would watch to see that the "committee of forty-eight" violated no laws.

The president of the attorney general in charge of delinquent cases has announced that the government would have attorneys take complete reports of what was said.

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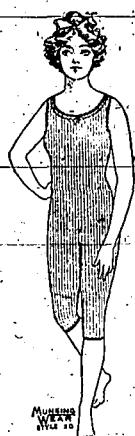
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No. 6145—Ladies' Wool Plate Union Suits, high neck; long sleeves; ankle length; all sizes \$3.25

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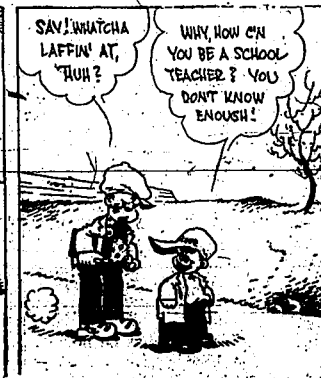
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THOSE IMMORAL STYLES

Lieut. B. W. Maynard, the "flying parson," preached a sermon the other day in which he declared himself shocked at the lack of clothes worn by the women of New York. He said many of the dresses were cut so low in the back that one could count every vertebra from the waist up. He declared that the women adopted styles which come "from the most immoral women of Paris."

The strictures of the preacher are undoubtedly true. Dresses exposing undue number of vertebra are only too common. But it is doubtful whether anything is gained by begging that clothes be designed by people whose qualifications are purity of heart rather than artistic training. The pure American woman may be a good designer or she may not. Everyone knows many women whose designs in dress they would hate to see generally adopted.

But if the good parson could but convince women in general of the truth that dresses which depend for their effectiveness upon exposure are ugly, inartistic, unpleasant to the male eye, then something might be accomplished.

The really beautiful gown does not shock. It pleases.

Charm in a woman is not a matter of parading her skin. It is a matter of eyes, of smiling lips, of personality. The dress which is lovely of line and color, artists say, which enhances the personal charm, so that one sees a woman in a dress as a picture in a well-chosen frame—that is a good dress. The dress which calls attention to one detail, whether by exposure of person or ungainly line—that dress is bad. The so-called "immoral clothes" are usually ugly—they react upon the observer unpleasantly. When women learn this, the difficulty will be overcome.

FOREIGN MONEY ORDERS

Though exchange rates are heavily in favor of the United States—that is, a dollar today is exchangeable for a good deal more than 100 cents in foreign money—this advantage is lost when the money is sent abroad in the form of postoffice money orders.

The man who buys at his postoffice a money order for England or France or Italy or Germany gets an order for precisely the same number of shillings, francs, lire or marks that he would have got before the war, in spite of the fact that a dollar is now worth about five shillings instead of four, 10 francs or lire instead of five, and 40 marks instead of four. Thus the receiver of the money order, at the other end is cheated, getting less money, or less purchasing power, than he is entitled to.

The United States government is not doing any deliberate cheating; it is the natural result of a system regulated by treaties, which works both ways, sometimes putting money into Uncle Sam's pocket and sometimes taking it out. The results to the people concerned are none the less unfortunate.

There is an easy way out of the difficulty. Instead of buying a postal money order go to a banker. He will give the

sender a foreign draft that can be cashed by the receiver for all the money coming to him under the current exchange rate. That is, if the banker is honest. The foreign quarters of American cities are infested with crooked bankers. Only those of known dependability should be trusted in such transactions.

A BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

Herbert Hoover has made a preliminary report upon the American relief administration. He says that it will return to the United States government approximately \$88,750,000 of the \$100,000,000 appropriated by congress for relief in Europe. This will be returned in the form of treasury notes from the European governments that shared in the relief work. The remainder of the fund, or about one-eighth of it, was expended, he says, for "supplies which were donated on a charitable basis, for which there will be no reimbursement." All relief supplies were purchased in the United States and the only moneys expended outside were for local freight and handling charges in Europe.

Poland received more than half of the money spent—\$57,000,000. Armenia came next with \$10,000,000. Other countries which shared were Czecho-Slovakia, Russia, Esthonia, Lettvia, Lithuania and Finland.

A "business administration" as always being promised some hopeful city or state by the candidate who realizes the deep-down longing of every decent citizen to have the affairs of his community conducted with the sanity, competence and thrift which accompany a successful business. Here, all quietly and modestly, with no tooting of horns, with no glittering promises whose gold proves but tinsel when put to the test, comes the successful concluser of the greatest "business administration" on record.

THE DROP IN BONDS

Liberty Bonds have been going down lately in value, or rather, in market price. The decline has been more rapid than ever before, and has been especially noticeable because it followed a period of slow and steady rise.

Why the drop? Many reasons are given, but the big, obvious reason is simply that great numbers of people, all at once, have wanted cash more than they wanted bonds. To get the cash, they sell the bonds, and the dumping of so large a quantity on the market at one time naturally forces down the price. If nobody were selling, they would be quoted higher right along, until all the issues went over par.

Why do people want the cash rather than securities which are the safest in the world, and among the most profitable?

Generally for one of two reasons. Either they want to invest the money in something else that is far less safe, but promises a larger return; or else they want to "blow in" the money.

There are exceptions, of course. Many people are obliged to let their bonds go in order to meet debts, or make payments on sound investments—buying homes, for example. Such disposal of the bonds is legitimate and beyond criticism, even though parting with them is to be regretted. But certainly people invite criticism, and also pity for their folly, when they throw away hard-earned government bonds in speculation or extravaagant living.

London university has appropriated \$2,500,000 for phonetic research, to simplify the language of the east and thus facilitate commercial intercourse. Why bother about a phonetic language when there are phony languages right at hand—Esperanto and Volapuk, for instance?

Conditions in Turkey must be normal again. There has been another efficient butchery of Armenians.

OUTBURSTS OF EVERETT TRUE



REPUBLICAN POT STARTS BOILING

National Committee Gathers in Washington to Select the Convention City.

By the Associated Press. WASHINGTON, Dec. 8.—The 1920 political pot was started boiling merrily today as the leading figures of the republican party, gathering here for the quadrennial meeting of the national committee, took counsel with one another on candidates and issues of the coming campaign.

The ostensible purpose of the committee meeting is to select a time and place for next year's national convention, but in their constantly multiplying conferences the committee members and their guests talked of almost everything else—ranging from the choice of the convention city to the point Wednesday with indications pointing to either Chicago or St. Louis and with early June apparently settled on by the leaders as the date.

In addition to the national committee men from every state, the republican state chairmen all have been invited to be here, this week and a large number of editors of republican papers are expected to attend.

Other party leaders also have drifted to Washington to exchange views and get a share in the preliminary maneuvering that really marks the beginning of the national campaign.

Discussion of a convention city did not get far today, the leaders apparently being too interested in other questions to give it great attention. The St. Louis delegation, which arrived yesterday, was active during the day, but the question is expected to take on more interest tomorrow with the arrival of the Chicago boosters, headed by Mayor Thompson.

Chicago's chances were held during the day by an announcement by William H. Cocker, the national committee man for California, that San Francisco, mentioned as a contender for the convention, would not actively seek the convention, but would throw its influence for the Illinois city.

MEXICAN PLOT WITH RADICALS IS DISCLOSED

Continued From Page One. document, to support the Mexican government proposes to give Mexican commercial initiative in Mexico. Senator Fall's comment on the plan of revolution disclosed in the minutes of the today's meeting, is that it would appear "dispositive, without need to further us or wait to describe the attention, were it not first, for the fact, that it is similar in all essentials to the plan of San Diego, which the only judicial passing upon the question was declared to have been backed or supported by armed forces through the use of war by V. Carranza in 1915, and second, were it not for the fact that the plan of San Diego itself announcing, and this present plan following, were and are in exact line with the note of June 19, 1917, from Zimmerman to von Eckhardt, then ambassador from Germany to Mexico, used Mexican Blue Book. The memorandum also contained a

copy of a letter said to have been written by Carranza to Miss Herman Galindo, who had written a book entitled the "Carranza doctrine." The Mexican president's note to her concerned a second book which he said he wished her to write and with this in view he was sending her a copy of the "blue book," which he said would justify the attitude of his government in its "systematic hostility towards foreign speculators, especially Americans and English."

"Do not forget my injunction," Carranza wrote, "to describe in lively color, the tortuosity of the American policy with relation to our country, causing the figure of Wilson to stand well out as the director of that policy."

"This plan being very favorable for Mexico, please all them in every way and give the necessary instructions in the frontier states."

"Your affectionate friend," "V. CARRANZA."

The second letter, dated August 19, and addressed to the same government official, follows:

"The present letter will be delivered to you by Mr. Juan N. Garcia and the two friends from Texas who accompany him and, in accordance with our conversation, please give them the guarantees they solicit as well as the pecuniary assistance they may desire."

"I remain your friend affectionately," "V. CARRANZA."

SOCIALIST LEADS OPPOSITION IN PRIMARY ELECTION

By the Associated Press. MILWAUKEE, Wis., Dec. 7.—Victor L. Berger, socialist, and Henry H. Hodensahl, republican, fusion candidate, today were nominated for congress at a primary election, in the

fifth Wisconsin district. The socialist nominated Towler with 7,000 votes and the republican endorsed candidate's republican candidacy by polling 9,232 votes. The regular contest between these candidates, a special election will be held on December 10, to fill the vacancy caused by the refusal of the present congress to seat Berger.

CENTRE COLLEGE TO MEET HARVARD TEAM NEXT YEAR

By the Associated Press. LOUISVILLE, Ky., Dec. 8.—Centre college of Danville, Ky., will play the Harvard eleven at Cambridge, Mass., on October 23 next, according to an announcement by Centre authorities tonight. Centre won all of its 12 games played this season.

UNABLE TO BUY HIS BABY MILK; DESPAIRS IT

By the Associated Press. NEW YORK, Dec. 8.—The high price of milk was responsible for a seven months old baby being abandoned by its father in the Grand Central station today, according to a statement in the youngsters' hat by the police.

LADIES! DARKEN YOUR GRAY HAIR

The use of Sage and Sulphur for restoring faded, gray hair to its natural color dates back to grandmother's time. She used it to keep her hair beautifully dark, glossy and attractive. Whenever her hair took on that dull, faded or streaked appearance, this simple mixture was applied with wonderful effect.

But brewing at home is messy and out-of-date. Nowadays, by mixing at home drug store "a bottle of Why-oh's Sage and Sulphur Compound," you will get this famous old preparation, improved by the addition of other ingredients, which can be depended upon to restore natural color and beauty to the hair.

A well known hairdown drugger says it darkens the hair so naturally and evenly that nobody can tell it has been applied. You simply dampen a sponge or soft brush with it and draw this through your hair, taking one strand at a time. By morning the gray hair disappears, and after another application or two, it becomes beautifully dark and glossy.—Adv.

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DENY ANARCHISTS A HABEAS CORPUS

Berkman and Goldman Must Stay in Russia, Is Court's Ruling

By the Associated Press.

NE WYOMING, Dec. 8.—Federal Judge Mayer today dismissed writ of habeas corpus obtained by Ivan Berkman and Emma Goldman to prevent their deportation to Russia and refused to admit them to bail. Federal District Attorney Coffey announced in court that the government planned to deport the two anarchists within two weeks.

Judge Mayer who two years ago sentenced the two radicals to prison for obstructing the draft, then ordered them remanded to Ellis Island. He granted a stay of deportation until 4 p. m. Thursday to permit the couple time to appeal to another court for admittance to bail and to carry an appeal to the United States supreme court.

Coffey announced that "not only" he and his associate, Miss Goldman would also be deported within two weeks, referring presumably to 82 radicals whose confinement at Ellis Island recently has been featured by hunger and silence strikes.

The announcement was made in response to the claims of Harry Weinberger, counsel for Berkman and Miss Goldman that the government had no definite plans to deport its clients and that they might be held at Ellis Island indefinitely, perhaps for life, in violation of law.

In rendering his decision, Judge Mayer denounced both of the anarchists.

"The court views the defendants as enemies of the United States and of the peace of this country," he said. "Berkman has a criminal record that began when he attempted the assassination of Mr. Frick. At the beginning of the war these defendants tried to prevent the carrying out of the selective service act. They did everything they could to destroy the welfare, the stability and the integrity of this government, and the court regards their actions as every bit as bad, every bit as inimicable to the common good as were the acts of the common enemy, the German empire. Therefore, the court declines to grant bail."

Mr. Coffey furnished still another surprise for Miss Goldman by announcing that Jacob A. Kersner, whom she claims to have married in Rochester, N. Y., in 1917, did not die until January of this year. Weinberger had argued that the cancellation of Kersner's citizenship by the United States district court at Rochester in 1905 was illegal because Kersner presumably was dead at that time.

The only point worthy of consideration, throughout his entire argument, that the deportation would be unconstitutional, Judge Mayer told Weinberger, who claims that Miss Goldman had not been given notice of the denaturalization proceedings against Kersner and that the "real" intention of the government was to denaturalize Emma Goldman by subterfuge and indirectness.

To this United States Attorney Coffey replied that Kersner's father had testified that his son immigrated from Russia in 1882 and that he was born in 1865. He was naturalized by the Monroe county state court at Rochester in 1891. The law provides that an alien must be at least 21 years old and have been in the country at least five years before naturalization. Weinberger accused the government of lack of fair play in not giving Miss Goldman a chance to prove that Kersner's father resided in the Jewish cemetery and had been mistaken about his son's death and the date of his arrival from Russia.

Mr. Coffey said that Miss Goldman could not have been a party to the denaturalization proceedings because the statute only permitted the removal of citizenship had been conferred to contest the suit, and that notice had been served on Kersner by publication.

"She never appealed to have that judgment vacated even if they were married," he said.

The other contentions of Weinberger as to the unconstitutionality of deportation were termed by Mr. Coffey "trifling and absurd."

These claims were:

- First, that the anarchy statutes of 1917 and 1918 violated the first amendment to the United States constitution providing that congress shall pass no law abridging freedom of speech or of the press; second, that when his clients were admitted to the United States more than 30 years ago they were not anarchists and that to deport them now would violate the first amendment; third, that the government could not deport them to soviet Russia, as it has announced its plans to do, because the United States has not recognized the Bolsheviks.

In replying Judge Mayer said that the anarchy statutes had already been held constitutional by the courts; that congress could pass at any time any law it saw fit repealing aliens, and that the court had no judicial knowledge of soviet Russia.

Elaborate precautions were taken to guard the court during the hearing. Troops of policemen and plainclothesmen were on guard at the doors and in the corridors. Friends of the anarchists were barred from the room.

MOST DRASTIC ORDERS GIVEN TO SAVE FUEL

(Continued From Page One.)

maximum utilization of transportation equipment.

DETAILS REFUSED.

INDIANAPOLIS, Dec. 8.—Department of justice officials, including

Attorney General Palmer, and heads of the United Mine Workers of America, who today met in Washington, alike refused to give out any details of the agreement reached at Washington Saturday night looking to a settlement of the strike of bluing-men and miners.

Likewise they declined to make any statement as to the probable effect of the agreement upon the legal phase of the situation which include arrangements for a sweeping investigation by a federal grand jury of alleged violations of the Lever fuel control act and anti-trust laws, and criminal contempt proceedings against eighty-four international and district officers of the miners union.

At the close of a conference of government officials with United States District Judge Anderson, which lasted more than two hours this afternoon, Attorney General Palmer stated that he would be accompanied from the government offices to the court at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning when the miners' heads are to appear before Judge Anderson and answer the charges of contempt. It was announced that the union leaders would be required to appear as scheduled, but efforts to turn the charges would be dismissed or the hearing postponed, pending the meeting of the executive board of the miners tomorrow afternoon to consider the Washington proposal, were not with evasive answers.

He said that action against the miners in the contempt cases as well as the grand jury investigation which was ended to probe charges of conspiracy of the part of operators as well as miners, would be postponed, was based on the action of government attorneys this morning in procuring postponement of the first session of the grand jury until tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock.

In announcing this postponement, United States District Attorney L. Earl Slack, this morning stated that empanelling of the grand jury had been held off until conferences could be held with Attorney General Palmer. He stated that his announcement did not mean that the grand jury would be empanelled tomorrow morning, but that such action would not be taken before that time.

John L. Lewis, acting president of the United Mine Workers, who with Secretary-Treasurer William Green, and Walter James, legislative agent of the miners' organization, arrived on the same train from Washington with the attorney general's party, also refused to discuss the Washington conference of the possible effect the agreement might have on pending court action. In answer to questions, Mr. Lewis said that in the Washington conference no mention was made of dismissal of court proceedings as a part of the proposed settlement.

ANNIS IS FOUND GUILTY OF ROBBERY

Jury Returns Out Less Than An Hour—Grosser Is Sentenced

J. R. Annis was found guilty yesterday of robbery by a jury in the district court, while Harry F. Grosser was sentenced to serve an indeterminate sentence of from one to ten years in the state penitentiary for voluntary manslaughter. A jury was drawn by the case of Frank Clark, B. F. Nichols and Wm. C. Henderson, charged with grand larceny in the district court yesterday.

Testimony was completed in the Annis case in the forenoon and sent into the hands of the jury just before the noon recess. The jury deliberated less than an hour before returning a verdict of guilty. The jury in the case of the other three defendants was charged with grand larceny and returned a verdict of guilty. The jury in the case of the other three defendants was charged with grand larceny and returned a verdict of guilty.

Frank Clark, B. F. Nichols and William C. Henderson were drawn by the forenoon. Clark, Nichols and Henderson are charged with grand larceny and are alleged to have stolen a quantity of wool several months ago. The jury drawn follows, Judge E. Cross, F. C. Maramba, O. M. Catron, S. D. Ferrin, F. V. Brons, B. D. Thompson, Morgan O. Hays, A. C. Bidhaughey, John A. Brown, P. H. L. Bull, George L. Bryant and John E. Musser.

Prosecuting Attorney Frank J. Stephen gave a convincing argument and brought out blunders made by Annis in which he stated that his original intention had been to push Starr over the cliff after he secured the check. He declared that Annis showed criminal tendencies.

As Starr said that the check was placed on the stand for the jury's rebuttal during the noon recess, the jury in the case of the other three defendants was charged with grand larceny and returned a verdict of guilty.

BEET SUGAR IS SHIPPED INTO ILLINOIS TERRITORY. NEW YORK, Dec. 8.—Fifty million pounds of beet sugar is being shipped into territory east of Pittsburgh and Buffalo and north of Virginia. It was announced today that the shipment had arrived today with the first crop of the new San Domingo crop to reach this country.

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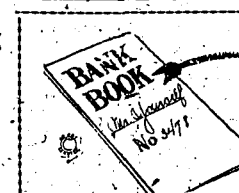
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IDAHO STATE BANK TWIN FALLS

STATE DENTISTS IN CONVENTION HERE

Select Peacello for Next Year's Officers for Year Aged Elected

The first regular business meeting of the Idaho State Dental Association was held last night in the Pacific hotel following a banquet tendered by the Twin Falls district society. Thirty members were in attendance. Officers were elected and the general business of the association was discussed. Representatives from Peacello, American Falls, Blackfoot, Dunley, Duby Jerome, Ellers, Rexburg, Montpelier, Jolney, Kimberly, Boise and Idaho Falls were present at the meeting.

Peacello was selected as the next meeting place of the association at which time men of national reputation will give clinics and hold a one week post-graduate course in the newer methods of dentistry.

The object of the association as outlined by Dr. C. H. Coleman of Bull, president, is for the study and practice of newer methods and for the elevation of dentistry in general. The executive committee elected last night were, Dr. A. A. Jessup, Boise; Dr. B. H. Hudson, Blackfoot; Dr. A. B. Higson, Peacello; Dr. H. H. Ewing, Rexburg; Dr. G. M. Smith, Idaho Falls, and Dr. A. B. Altre, Ellers. The officers of the association are, Dr. C. H. Coleman, president; Dr. M. J. Goote, secretary; and Dr. J. P. Johnson of Twin Falls, treasurer.

COTTAGE IS WRECKED BY SEVERAL HUNDRED MEN

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Dec. 8.—The interior of a cottage in the Los Angeles harbor district occupied by George Kastvik, said to be a German spy, was wrecked by a party of several hundred men, according to police reports made public tonight.

CALIF. N. M. LEGISLATURE TO CONSIDER COAL SHORTAGE

SANTA FE, N. M., Dec. 8.—Governor Larnold announced today that the special session of the legislature called on account of the coal shortage and to consider ratification of the mining amendment would begin January 13. An official call will be issued this week.

MY CANAL BOARD POLICY

It has been charged that I have in the past voted against W. O. Taylor as secretary of the canal board and I have been asked if I intend to vote against him again.

To show that I mean what I say when I state that I stand for the highest efficiency, I wish to give notice to all concerned that I think W. O. Taylor fills the bill. Therefore, he will get at least one vote—my own—if I am elected to the canal board.

Now for a few words with regard to telling the truth. I claim that distinction in spite of the fact of a petty politician's silly attempt, through the Chronicle, to show that I contradicted myself in statements regarding efficiency in canal management. I will be on the floor at the annual meeting and challenge the Chronicle or anyone else to ask any question on any subject concerned. I will be there to answer them all and let the public judge whether or not I am telling the truth.

D. F. DETWEILER

—Paid Advertisement—

AMERICA HAS BIG TRADE BALANCE

Record for Past Fiscal Year Exceeds That of Any Other Time in History.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 8.—America's trade balance for the fiscal year ended last June 30 was \$3,98,134,947, "a figure never approached in the commerce of any nation in the history of the world." And the annual report today of the secretary of commerce, New high marks were established in both exports and imports, exports totalling \$7,074,911,522 and imports \$3,095,776,582. Exports to Europe America, \$1,251,232,547; to Asia, \$569,845,745; and to South America, \$269,801,601.

Despite war losses, the world's merchant tonnage is larger now than at any other time in history the report said, the total tonnage being 50,919,000 gross tons compared with 49,080,000 in 1914.

The present average deficiency of the world's merchant tonnage however, is below that of 1914 "the cause of the inherent reasons in construction and for extraneous reasons such as port congestion, labor troubles and management."

Net gain in steam tonnage for the world was placed at 2,500,000 gross tons; while that of the United States was 7,600,000 gross tons. Merchant tonnage now under construction is more than double the prewar output. Steel steam tonnage for the United States at the close of the past fiscal year was over 6,000,000 gross tons, four times greater than 1914 and is increasing at the rate of 250,000 tons monthly.

"The annual output of our shipyards," the report said, "exceeds that of the greatest annual output of the world's ship yards before 1914. Steel ship building plants have been extended or established with new machinery, methods, handling and transport accommodations equal and in some respects superior to those abroad."

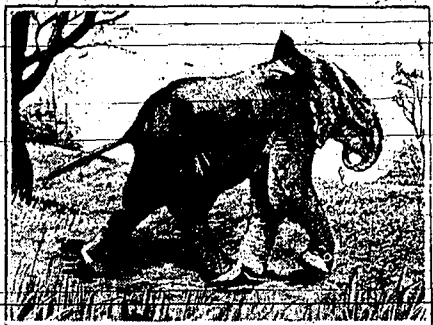
American tonnage, clearing in overseas trade in the fiscal year 1915 was six times greater than in 1914.

The total gross tonnage of ships flying the American flag on June 30, 1915, was six times greater than in 1914.

The total gross tonnage of ships flying the American flag on June 30, 1915, was 12,901,800, of which 6,669,729 tons were assigned to foreign trade, 2,635,650 to the Great Lakes and 3,601,891 to local and river traffic.

The need for a unified commercial organization to help promote the nation's commerce was urged in the report. It was pointed out that while

Elephant Charge Worse Than Air Raids



Staff Correspondent with Smithsonian Uncovered Expedition.

IN CAMP KENKELBOCHI, South Africa—War time German "frightful news" that nothing on the wild elephants of the Addo Bush.

"This is the most terrible curse this country has ever known. They seem you stiff."

"I've been in the air raids in France and I've heard the hideous trumpeting of elephants outside of the flimsy wind break of piled up branches around the atrocious camp here."

"And I imagine the former is preferable. Here in this dense thicket bush there is no escape from the enraged pachyderm. If he doesn't see you he scents you. And there is no escape."

"You cannot outrun him. The all most impenetrable bush holds you. There are great areas of a very dense growth of mimosa and prickly pear, intricately bound together with strong creepers."

"They are interlaced and thick with bunches ranging from the size of a fist to those that are five and six inches long."

"These are the things Major Pretorius is up against in his campaign to exterminate the 200 wild elephants remaining in South Africa."

"The first night I was in camp with the Smithsonian African expedition, the major was absent. He had been hunting all day, spending the night at his other camp at Addo Station, 16 miles at the other end of the thorn jungle."

"In the middle of the night a couple of the kaffir natives came running in with the news that the elephants were near. Simultaneously we heard a frightful noise in the distance and trumpeting and ear-splitting screaming."

"The man who knows only the circus and the elephant cannot conceive the terrifying value of sound and mammoth or a herd, can describe under the law it was the duty of the department of commerce to foster, promote and develop the foreign and domestic commerce of the country, half a dozen government agencies performed functions of vital necessity to this commerce. The department, it was argued, should have representatives in these agencies so that the

There is no simile that is faithfully descriptive. It's like all the treads of hell turned loose. It heggars description.

"Cold chills ran down our backs. There really wasn't much danger of an unprovoked attack at night, that is to say, it would be against precedent, for, while elephants are essentially nocturnal prowlers, they rarely charge unless they are shot at, even if they do pick up the scent of human beings."

"But we didn't stop to think of that. We spent a quaking half hour till the trumpeting and screaming had died away and the camp dogs quieted down to the point where it seemed certain the elephants had rambled off in another direction."

"Anybody who has been in the Addo Bush knows what real foot is. Big game hunters have walked away from hunting here because the odds are all against the hunter."

"Nowhere is the bush more than eight to twelve feet high. There are plenty of trees but they are low and spindly. They look substantial, but they bend under the slightest weight like so much rubber. These are the 'scorcher' trees, or 'scorcher' trees. The huge heads of the soft, rubbery leaves and branches."

"Climbing into one of these trees is like wading. The elephant can reach up with his powerful trunk and drag his victim out."

"Though the elephant's eyesight is poor, his hearing and sense of smell are acute. And he covers about 12 feet in one stride."

"When he grips his victim in his trunk he crushes him to the ground. Then if he has tusks, he jabs great holes through the body. Whereat he kneels on the victim. Then he wheels ponderously and sits on the body, rolling back and forth, utterly regardless of his victim. Finally he batters it into the ground."

"The secretary also said that lack of funds necessary to retain competent men was handicapping the department in promoting foreign trade. Additional appropriations were asked for various bureaus. Declaring that the commercial attaché service had amply proved its value, the report said the kind of men who were needed for the work could obtain larger salaries in the employ of companies engaged in the export business."

"Authentic information about foreign markets is being hindered by restrictions in the bureau of foreign and domestic commerce, according to the report, which stated that members of this subsidiary after being schooled by the government are probably left to take position with private companies where larger salaries were paid."

"The time has come," said the report, "when sufficient means should be provided so that the foreign trade service of our government may be placed on some permanent self-supporting basis so that accumulated experience may be retained. The international situation of today is a matter of vital importance and it is essential that the most authentic information about foreign markets must be obtained and distributed."

"Fifty per cent of the technical staff of the bureau of standards, one of the most important bureaus of the department, has been lost during the past two years because of the small salaries paid government employees, the report declared."

"This applies to all grades of trained scientific and technical men, but is especially true of the leaders in scientific fields. This bureau, it was said, was of great importance to industry, as has been demonstrated during the war."

"Present needs of the department for the coming year as outlined in the report included additional vessels for the fisheries service and funds to continue work of the service; a Government owned building to house all the services of the department and additional assistant secretary to assist in the administration and supervision of the increased work of the department."

"Additional appropriations for the ensuing year of \$2,265,113 were asked the report pointing out that the cost of the fourteenth decennial census alone would amount to \$2,215,000."

"Whale oil does not come from the whale alone. The sword fish and halibut are a large source of whale oil."

RAILROAD BILL IS NEAR PASSAGE

Parliamentary Move by La Follette is All That Remains From Adoption Yesterday.

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 8.—Passage of the Cummins railroad bill by the senate was prevented late today by a demand of Senator La Follette, republican, Wisconsin, for a quorum. Senate leaders predicted, however, that the measure, designed to meet conditions incident to the return of the railroads to private control and operation, would pass the senate within a week.

The senate had just defeated an amendment by Senator Curtis, republican, Kansas, to eliminate the entire section providing for the creation of a transportation board and the bill was taken out of the committee of the whole and put before the senate on its passage.

The chamber was not yet open when Vice President Marshall called for a vote on the bill's passage, and it was passed, but before the result could be announced, Senator La Follette demanded a quorum. This caused the measure to be brought up and introduced, and started a sharp attack on the proposal to delay the vote after the bill had been enthusiastically before the senate for a week.

Senator Thomas, democrat, Colorado, said he was amazed that a bill of such tremendous importance should be considered with not more than half a dozen members in the chamber at times.

Senator Cummins, republican, Iowa, author of the bill, spoke against the Curtis amendment for elimination of the transportation board, declaring that it was necessary for some other agency to help handle many of the

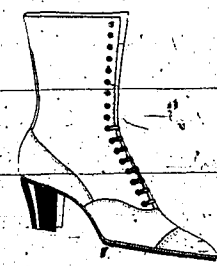
GIBSON SUCCEEDS BEZDER

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Pa., Dec. 8.—George Gibson, former catcher for the Pittsburgh National League baseball club, today accepted an offer to become its manager. He succeeds Hugh Bazels, noted as a football coach as well as a baseball catcher.

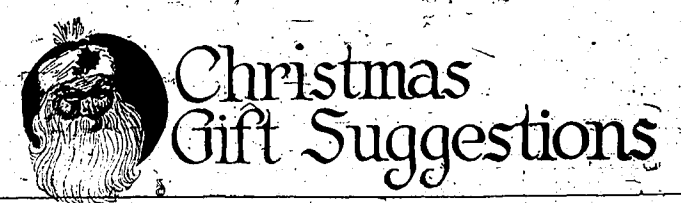
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Happenings Around Our Town

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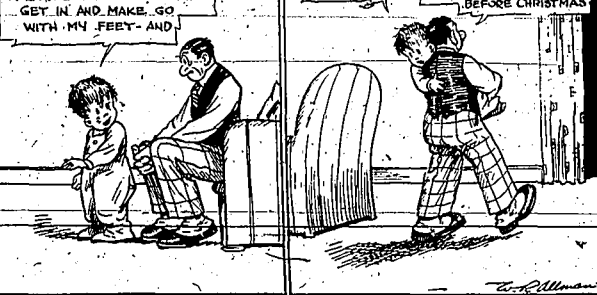
THINK, BOY, YOU MIGHT FORGET SOMETHING.



OH, I WANT A CANNON AND SOME SOLDIERS, AND I WANT A FOOT-BALL— I WANT A ROCKIN' HORSE AN' A LITTLE AUTO WHAT I KIN GET IN AND MAKE, GO WITH MY FEET— AND

AND I WANT 'SOME GAMES' AND A

WELL THAT WILL BE ABOUT ALL FOR TONIGHT— YOU MAY THINK OF SOMETHING ELSE BEFORE CHRISTMAS



Market News

Live Stock

CHICAGO, Dec. 8.—Hogs—Receipts 59,000; estimated tomorrow 75,000; mostly 50c lower; bulk of sales \$12.65 @ 13.00; top, \$13.50; heavy, \$12.65 @ 13; medium, \$12.75 @ 13; light, \$12.65 @ 13; light weight, \$12.75 @ 13.75; heavy packing sows, smooth, \$12.25 @ 12.60; packing sows, rough, \$11.75 @ 12.25; pigs, \$11.75 @ 12.60.

Grain

CHICAGO, Dec. 8.—Notwithstanding bullish sentiment due to prospective settlement of the coal strike, corn weakened in price today. Demoralization of the hog market was chiefly responsible. Corn closed heavy, 1 1/2c net lower to 3/4c advance, with January \$1.35 @ 1.35 1/2 and May \$1.42 1/2 to \$1.43. Oats finished 3/4c down to 3 1/2c, and positions unchanged to 50 cents decline.

Pork—Nominal. Lard—\$22.90. Hubs—\$19 @ 20.

BELIEVES GUANO EXISTS ON UTAH'S 'DEAD SEA'

SALT LAKE CITY—Belief that guano, a fertilizer rich in phosphoric acid and nitrogen, exists on the various islands in the great Salt Lake, Utah's "dead sea," is held by some state authorities. A diligent survey to ascertain if the guano exists in marketable quantities may be made, it is said.

PHYSICIAN IS SENTENCED FOR ATTEMPTED PROFITEERING

HUNTSVILLE—Dr. Charlotte Hessel, a woman physician, has been sentenced to two months imprisonment because she refused to rent an apartment to a tenant unless he would buy her furniture for 100,000 crowns. The action of the court is in line with the attempt to provide housing for the over congested city.

PANON'S THIN TO BE PICTURE IN 'HALL OF FAME'

WASHINGTON—Starting with the famous "Wye Mill" oak near Easton, Maryland, the American Forestry association announces the first of a series of trees for its "Hall of Fame." This tree covers a third of an acre of ground and has a spread of one hundred and forty and a half feet. The

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circumference one foot from the ground is fifty-one and a half feet. The American Forestry association is compiling a "Who's Who" of trees in America, and asks that pledges and data to support the claims for recognition be forwarded to it.

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MAKE EFFORT TO BRING ROYALTY'S BONES BACK RIO DE JANEIRO—A bill has been presented to the chamber of deputies proposing that the Brazilian government bring back to this country the bodies of the former emperors Pedro I and Pedro II, and the former Empress Leopoldina, now in Portugal.

FEDERAL ABSTRACT AND INVESTMENT CO. Jerome, Idaho Phone 225.

NAVY TRAPLAIN KILLED BY COLLISION UTILS BOY

PHILADELPHIA—Boy, 8—The boy, Edward H. Henry, a Catholic priest, was killed today when he fell from a window of a room on the 11th floor of a leading hotel. He was chaplain in the navy with the rank of lieutenant and pastor of St. Francis Xavier Church, Withers, Maine.

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FOR SALE—RIGHT PRICE ON piano in good condition. Phone D-5-3. 12-5-67 K 12-14

WANTED TO BUY—ONE CARLOAD of fat hogs—State what you have and price. E. O. B. your 41. It's a ton. Oscar J. Streeter, Byko, Nevada. 2-7-12 X K 12-20

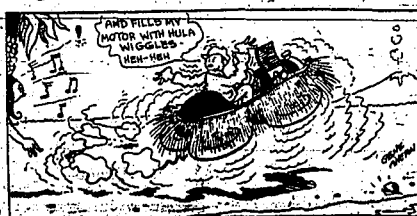
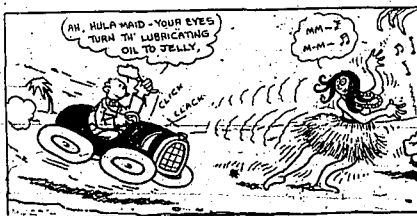
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Produce

CHICAGO—Butter higher, creamery, 68 @ 72c; eggs firm; receipts 200 cases; first 60c; ordinary fresh \$14 @ 15.25; culls and common, \$3.75 @ 13.75; yearling chickens, \$11 @ 12.75; ewes, medium and choice, \$7.50 @ 9; culls and common, \$4 @ 7.50.

KANSAS CITY—Butter, foreign extra, 68c; first, 66c; seconds, 64c; packing, 48c. Eggs unbranded, first 78c; seconds, 66c. Poultry—Hens, in lower, 19 @ 20 1/2; roosters, 14 @ 20; broilers, 36c.

CHICAGO—Potatoes, firm; arrivals 67 cwt; Northern sacked and bulk whites, \$3 @ 3.20; Western rural, \$2.15; Russets, \$3.25 @ 3.35.

Finance

NEW YORK—Liberty bond prices at 2:55 p. m. today were: 3 1/2% \$99.70; first 4% \$94; second 4% \$92.04; first 4 1/2% \$94.23; second 4 1/2% \$92.10; third 4 1/2% \$94.44; fourth 4 1/2% \$92.18; Victory 4 1/2% \$95.10.

FITZGERALD BOUND OVER FOR BRIBERY

Head of Parker System of Dentists Must Stand Trial in Boise.

ACTED AS GO-BETWEEN IN SALE OF LICENSES

Told Former Secretary of Chance to Make "Lots of Jack" in Utah by Selling Dentists' Licenses.

Dr. A. Fitzgerald, head of the Parker system of dentists, who examined the affairs for this concern in Twin Falls has been bound over to the district court by a justice of the peace at Boise on a charge of bribery. Dr. W. A. Myers, former secretary of the

Idaho dental examiners, was also bound over.
Dr. Fitzgerald is charged with having been the go-between for Dr. Myers and dentists, many of them unlicensed dentists, who have secured Idaho licenses through purchase so that they could get a reciprocal license in some other state to practice for the Parker group only.
Evidence has been accumulating against the Parker system for several months. One of the dentists who confessed to having purchased his license without taking an examination was placed in the Twin Falls office of the Parker system and proceeded here until a representative of the state constabulary visited here several months ago to secure evidence. He was subpoenaed to appear against his chief and Dr. Myers in Boise but is said to have left the state.

Prominent in Twin Falls, Dr. Fitzgerald played a prominent part in establishing the Twin Falls office of his quick concern. He pulled teeth on a street corner here using the old "Q" plan of a music wagon to draw attention.

After leaving here Fitzgerald went to Lewiston where he was associated with a former member of the Idaho board of dental examiners in establishing a concern there. Dr. Fitzgerald was arrested in Lewiston.

Among the exhibits introduced by the state in the preliminary was a contract of \$200 given by C. C. Hendricks to Dr. W. A. Fitzgerald, which the witness, Hendricks, testified was for a license to practice dentistry in Idaho. This check was dated February 14, 1919, and drawn on the United States National bank of Portland. Following the identification of this check, a letter dated February 21,

1919, signed by Fitzgerald, to Dr. Myers, was introduced. Paragraphs from this letter are as follows: "Want to make out license for Claude C. Hendricks, York (Portland), E. W. Carrigan, Elm (Portland), and send him check for \$200. I think I can get you something here. If so, will do so. Try to get lined up right in Cash. If you can fix things over there, I can see where you can make a lot of money. Do all you can to get my license through."

SENATE SUGAR BILL TO BE UNDER DISCUSSION TODAY

By the Associated Press.—WASHINGTON, Dec. 8.—Senator McNary's bill extending the life of the sugar equalization board for one year from January 1, the date on which Attorney General Palmer has proposed the emergency wartime quiet control of sugar, will be taken up in the senate tomorrow for final consideration.
Senator McNary announced his intention of pressing for a vote after the senate today had discussed the shortage and price of sugar for an hour. The debate was provoked by the statement of Senator Borah, republican, Idaho, that America was exporting sugar made of corn while the United States was exporting 50 per cent more of the product than at this time last year.

SANATORIUMS TO BE AIDED BY SALES

Red Cross Seeks Help Institutions Carrying Anti-Tuberculosis Campaign in Idaho.

Sale of Red Cross seals in Twin Falls county is going forward rapidly. Through the efforts of the anti-tuberculosis association under whose auspices the sale is held, the legislature made an appropriation last year for the erection of two sanatoriums in Idaho; one in the southern part of the state and one in the south.
The money realized by the sale of the Red Cross Christmas seals will go toward the maintenance of these institutions.
"I have been indeed pleased with the way in which Twin Falls has contributed toward the cause," said Miss Taylor, chairman, last evening. "My only hope is that it will continue to be the same."

NON-PARTISANS IN NEAR FISTIC BATTLE

By the Associated Press.

HEBARIERK, N. D., Dec. 8.—A near fistic battle between Representative E. W. Herbert, of the minority, and Representative Herbert Hardt of the majority Non-Partisan league factions culminated proceedings in the house today at the special session of the North Dakota legislature. This occurred during a heated parliamentary battle as to whether or not a bill should be introduced which would make all legislation passed at the special session effective within ten days after adjournment of the legislature, instead of July 1.

The committee on delayed bills, of which Herbert is chairman, unanimously reported against introduction of the bill. Later, however, the committee majority voted for the introduction of the bill and was sustained by the house.
Declaring he refused longer to be a member of a "bunch of figureheads," Herbert moved that the committee be dissolved. Hardt seconded the motion, saying he believed the committee consisted of "figureheads." Herbert swung in Hardt and the latter attempted to swing back, but they were met by the speaker.

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Attorney Green Takes Necessary Steps for Idaho Farm Development to Obtain Property.

Two certified checks amounting to \$51,000 were deposited with County Auditor C. C. Higgins yesterday by W. R. Green, attorney for the Idaho Farm Development company. The checks are to be held pending settlement of condemnation proceedings instituted some time ago by the development company against Bracken and Clark and given the company permission to take possession of these properties as provided in a recent stipulation entered into by the plaintiff and defendants so that the big dam can be filled with storage water for next spring.
The damages agreed upon by the board of condemnation appointed by Judge Babcock were not satisfactory to the plaintiff company and they are asking for a re-evaluation of the property. Pending the decision of the court on the question the company will have possession of the land, which is protected by the checks deposited.

SCHOOL BOARD ASKS FOR HALF OF FINES

Request is Made That \$2002 Be Paid By City to Local Education Institutions.

Independent School District No. 1 presented a bill last night to the city council for \$2002 which sum being one-half of the fines collected by the city police court for several years past. Heretofore the school district has been out of pocket money collecting a sum in this manner for the education of the children of the city.
The presentation of the bill to council last night caused much discussion on the matter and it was referred to the finance committee for investigation.

City Clerk Mimick read the semi-annual statement of the city treasurer. The statement showed that the city now has on hand funds to the amount of \$222,370.50. Disbursements for the past six months were \$114,924.78 and receipts were \$27,218.26. The balance left over May 1 was \$61,272.88.

The city will discard the long-obsolete sprinkling equipment now in use if plans brought by Councilman Breckenridge are carried out. It was pointed out that water sprinkling and fire-fighting trucks could do the work much cheaper and that they could be paid for in two years out of savings made by their use. Then question came up on account of several protests on the sprinkling assessment. Council ordered the assessing for sprinkling investigated and regulations under review—present figures are too high.

E. L. Dooley, local chemist, appeared and called attention to a statement in the health ordinance which states that tests of milk should be made by a registered chemist. Mr. Dooley said there were no registered chemists in the state of Idaho and that such statutes called only for licensed chemists. Council moved to order the health department to accept tests made by licensed chemists.

B. J. Dean spoke at length on the question of permitting moving pictures shows on Sunday and asked that any petition asking for such permission be denied.

A communication was read from the O. R. L. railroad company in reference to the laying of water pipe under that company's tracks. It was stated that such work should be done under the railroad's supervision and that an agreement to that effect is on file with the council awaiting completion of the signature. No action on the pipe was laid last year before the railroad company submitted the proposed agreement.

A number of bills were ordered paid and council adjourned the shortest session of the winter.

COLD WAVE GRIPPING MUCH OF THE NATION

By the Associated Press.—CHICAGO, Dec. 8.—With cold wave warnings displayed tonight in central, east and western states, the great cold supply is expected to be further diminished. Scores of towns in the mid-west are almost without coal and the western country is in the grip of a gathering blizzard.

Much colder weather will reach Chicago and the lower lakes by Tuesday night with zero temperatures Wednesday morning. The forecaster also predicts snow with fresh north and northwest winds. The temperatures in Missouri, Kansas, parts of Oklahoma and Texas, as well as western Colorado and Nebraska were said to be rapidly falling. Severe suffering was reported in several Nebraska towns. The fuel supply was further reduced by temperatures that reached as low as minus degrees below

zero. Snowstorms interfered with railroad traffic and all railroads operating from Denver to the east were suspended from operations.
Temperatures have already fallen to below zero over Wisconsin, northern Iowa, Minnesota, the Dakotas and other western states. The cold wave will spread southward during Tuesday and Wednesday to the Gulf of Mexico and Wednesday and Thursday generally east to the Mississippi river.

COLD WAVE CLAIMS ONE VICTIM IN COLORADO

By the Associated Press.—DENVER, Colo., Dec. 8.—One death in the new cold wave that spread over Colorado and New Mexico had been reported up to noon today. Defino Sanchez, a sheepman, was found frozen to death near Albuquerque, N. M.
The mercury in Denver dropped 30 degrees in twenty-four hours, and weather bureau officials said it would hit bottom tomorrow at 14 to 16 degrees below zero.
Special government warnings to protect stock have been sent to New Mexico and Colorado's points.

TWO ARE CHARGED WITH MURDER OF DANNY BABY

By the Associated Press.—HAMMONTON, N. J., Dec. 8.—Charles S. White, next door neighbor of the Danny family, was arrested today charged with the murder of "Baby" Danny, Miss Edith Jones, White's housekeeper, was also arrested

and charged with being an accessory after the fact.
The prisoners were taken quietly out of the town to Mays Landing, where they were locked up in the county jail. The detectives brought them in an automobile first to the Hammonton town hall, where they were formally arraigned before a magistrate who was pledged to silence. No one in town was aware of the arrests until word was received from Mays Landing tonight.

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