

PALMER TELLS STORY OF END OF BIG STRIKE

Inform Senators That Government Acted to Secure Production of Coal.

OPERATOR CHARGES THAT AGREEMENT A SURRENDER

Attorney General Wanted Mine Owners to Compromise—Declares the Public Is the Loser.

By the Associated Press. WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—Attorney General Palmer told a senate investigating committee today a full story of his own and the general government's action in connection with the strike of bituminous miners...

Compromise Urged. Alfred M. Ogil, chairman of the executive committee of the Bituminous Coal Operators' Association, took the stand...

Says Surrender of Principle. "We replied," said Ogil, "that we considered the proposal a cowardly, dastardly surrender of the rights of the public and the government."

Chairman Frothingham of the senate committee, indicated after conclusion of the hearing that the investigation would be continued on the strength of the information brought out.

The attorney general, aided by questions from Senator Townsend, republican, Michigan, took the committee over the entire ground...

LEONARD WOOD BOOM COMMITTEE



Prominent political leaders have started an unofficial boom for Maj. Gen. Leonard Wood as presidential candidate of the republican party. The photo shows the boom committee (left to right): Dudley Davis, in charge of correspondence; T. E. Stone, his assistant; Alvin D. K. Jay, secretary, in charge of the campaign in New York City; and Henry J. West, in charge of organization.

SEEK TO EXPORT SURPLUS WHISKEY

Dubliners Endeavoring to Dispose of Millions of Gallons of Liquor Before January 16. NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—Distillers and other owners of alcoholic beverages are seeking to export millions of gallons of whiskey and other liquors from this and other eastern ports before January 16, when the national prohibition amendment becomes effective...

INCREASE SUBSCRIPTION PRICE

Beginning January 1, the subscription price of The Twin Falls Chronicle, including the big Sunday issue, will be \$7 per year. Until that date, subscriptions will be taken at the old rate, \$6 per year, \$3.75 for six months, \$1.75 for three months.

CONGRESS PREPARES FOR ANNUAL RECESS

Members Busily Preparing to Drop Legislative Cars Until January 5. WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—Congress today made marked progress in its program of cleaning up pressing affairs preparatory to recessing tomorrow over the Christmas holidays.

TWO ARE KILLED IN BATTLE ON BORDER

Mexican and American Are Dead as Result of Snuggling Liquor Across Border. EL PASO, Tex., Dec. 19.—An American provost guard and a Mexican villano were killed, during a pitched battle tonight between American soldiers and police and Mexican smugglers at the international boundary line, near here tonight.

DELAYS APPOINTMENT OF COAL COMMISSIONERS

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—Announcement of the membership of the commission of three to be entrusted under the provision of the bituminous coal strike settlement with investigation of the working conditions and signature of President Wilson.

LOYD GEORGE CHARGED WITH BEING A FAILURE

LONDON, Dec. 19.—The attitude of the United States with regard to settlement of affairs in Europe occupies a large part of the editorial discussion of Premier Lloyd George's speech before the house of commons yesterday. The Morning Post scores the premier for trying to throw the blame on the American nation and calls the speech "a confession of failure."

DENIES MEXICO BUYS ARMS FROM THE HUNS

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 19.—Reports that Mexico had bought arms and munitions in Germany and that munitions seized in Holland had been purchased by the Mexican government, were flatly denied by Hilario Medina, under-secretary of foreign affairs and General Juan Barragan, chief of the presidential staff.

CONVICTED I. W. W. TAKE UP THEIR PRISON LIFE

LEAVENWORTH, Kan., Dec. 19.—Twenty-six members of the I. W. W. convicted at Kansas City of violation of the espionage act and conspiracy against the United States, arrived at the federal prison this evening from Kansas City under guard of fifteen deputy marshals.

RAILROAD BILL VOTE TO COME THIS AFTERNOON

By the Associated Press. WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—After a session of more than 12 hours the senate tonight failed to reach a vote on the Cummins railroad bill but shortly before midnight adjourned with an agreement to vote finally on the bill at 3:30 o'clock tomorrow. A concurrent agreement also called for a final vote at 11:30 o'clock tomorrow on the sugar control bill.

PEACE TREATY FIGHT WILL REOPEN TODAY

Formal Consideration of Issues Before Foreign Relations Committee.

NEW COMPROMISE PLAN MAY BE WORKED OUT

Resolution of Knox to Declare State of Peace Expected To Be Basis of Considerations.

By the Associated Press. WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—Formal consideration of issues of the peace treaty fight will be reopened tomorrow by the senate foreign relations committee and an effort made to work out a new compromise plan to be placed before the senate after the holidays.

SUGAR CONTROL BILL IS CERTAIN OF ENACTMENT

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—Enactment by congress of legislation to continue government control over sugar during 1920 before the Christmas recess is assured. Senator McNary, republican, Oregon, in charge of the control bill in the senate, announced tonight, after a compromise had been reached with opponents of the measure, limiting extension of the licensing powers to June 30, 1920.

Among the changes and additions understood to have been considered by the republicans is one designed to preserve to the United States any material advantages embodied in the treaty as it stands.

I. W. W. ACQUITTED OF SYNDICALISM CHARGE

BELLEVILLE, Mo., Dec. 19.—Three alleged Industrial Workers of the World, La Fayette J. Adams, secretary of the I. W. W. local here; James Wilson and Henry Larson, were acquitted by a jury here today of charges of violating the criminal syndicalism law.

Some members of the committee desire to see action also on Senator Knox's alternate resolution to ratify the treaty with the league of nations covenant excluded, but the objection was made today that a two-thirds vote would be required to ratify the measure, making the outcome much more doubtful.

FEDERAL RESERVE BOARD WILL SPONSOR MOVEMENT

NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—The federal reserve board will sponsor a movement for the organization of corporations to finance export trade under the Edge bill, it was learned tonight. Governor Harding of the federal reserve board will call a conference of bankers and manufacturers after the holidays.

Democratic members of the committee were not hopeful tonight that the republican majority would get together tomorrow on any compromise measure acceptable to the administration forces in the senate.

All proposals for a separate declaration of peace have met with stubborn democratic resistance heretofore, and it was predicted in some quarters that lengthy debate in the committee would prevent action tomorrow.

OREGON FIR TO SUPPLY PITCH FOR TURPENTINE

PORTLAND, Ore., Dec. 19.—Pitch is soon to be extracted from Oregon fir in an effort to add to the country's waning supply of turpentine. A permit, the first of its kind, has just been issued by the district forester to allow extraction of pitch from Douglas fir timber on 160 acres in the Umpqua national forest.

By the Associated Press. WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—The agency testimony will provide \$25,000,000 for miscellaneous purposes, including \$10,000,000 for the "war" veterans' relief fund.

TO TRAIN AT HANFORD

SEATTLE, Wash., Dec. 19.—The Seattle club of the Pacific Coast Baseball league will train at Hanford, Calif. next spring it was announced today.

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FOUR DIVORCES ARE GRANTED BY COURT

Judge Babcock hears evidence in chambers—Five are given—Sentences.

Five divorce cases were heard in chambers yesterday by Judge W. A. Babcock. Decrees were issued in four cases while in another the court took the case under advisement.

Those who were granted release from unhappy marital yokes are: L. V. R. Ross—former Elbert Davis; Laphne Cox—former Reynolds; Gus Floyd A. Campbell from Helen Campbell and Mike Ah from Anita Ah. The plaintiff in the last named case is a Mexican, while the defendant is a Mexican. The case of W. C. Simons against Joseph E. Simons was taken under advisement.

In addition to hearing the divorce cases, Judge Babcock passed sentence on William C. Robertson, convicted of grand larceny, on Cleo "Slim" Bush, J. E. Henley, John Swain and W. T. Fox, all held on \$1,000 charges. Robertson was given from one to 15 years in the penitentiary, but was

paroled because of his past record and service in the army. Bush was fined \$200 and sentenced to 30 days in jail. On payment of the fine, the jail sentence was suspended. Similar sentences were passed on the other three. Henley paid his fine and was released, but the others must serve their sentences, and fine unless they can raise the fines.

CATHOLIC WOMAN'S LEAGUE ENJOYS SPECIAL PROGRAM

The Catholic Women's league met Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Harry Hayes. After a brief business session an entertaining program was rendered. Mrs. Charles Hart read a paper on "Christmas Times." Mrs. McKay Glenn gave a reading from Nathaniel Mills, entitled "The Leper" followed by "Christmas Hells" by Longfellow. Piano selections were rendered by Miss Dorothy Hoy and Mrs. J. E. Byers. Twenty-five members of the league were present.

ANNOUNCEMENTS ARE RECEIVED Announcement of the marriage of Donald McLean and Miss Mary Monica DeLund at Los Angeles, on November 13 have been received by Twin Falls friends of the couple. Mr. and Mrs. McLean are now at home at the Roseworth ranch.

COMPLETE PROGRAM FOR "KIDS" TRIP

Boys and girls, Champion in turn Bureau Junior Work, to Take into Pocatello.

A. L. O'Reilly, county club leader, is busy completing the program for taking Twin Falls champion boys and girls to Pocatello during the week of January 12, where they will be the guests of the business men of Pocatello who are honoring them for the work they have done. Seventeen of these young champions will leave Twin Falls on the evening of January 12 and return on the 15th. The members of the party will be Ted Sherris, who is the champion in the state in judo; Katherine Logan, who is in the now and later class; Otto Walton, who won in the pure bred class; Margaret Bequa, the champion champion of the county; Viola Dietl, champion tied cross worker; Margaret Chastain, champion sewer in the first year; Don Williams, champion sewer in the second year; Myrtle Mays, champion sewer in the third year; John Holliman, champion beer bread baker; Donald McClain, champion sugar beet grower; Carl River, champion corn grower; Winifred Oliver, champion sheep raiser; Milla Davis, potato grower; Cecil Childs, champion calf raiser, and Elsie Noh, champion canner.

The program for these young people while in Pocatello, in addition to a series of entertainments, will consist of three days of extensive training in the lines of work that they have been following under the direct leadership of experts in these lines and on the last day each one will enter into competition with the hundreds of other boys and girls from over the state for honors in their lines of work.

The plan of the farm bureau throughout the state is to make the program of the boys and girls as much educational character as possible and for that reason this trip is the championship prize in each line of work.

Under the plan which is being followed the expense of the members while in Pocatello is met by the business men of Pocatello and the railway fare to and from there must be met locally. In order that this award might come to the boys and girls at no expense to them the club leaders spent a few hours soliciting among the business men of Twin Falls for raising the funds. The leader states that he has raised \$150.00 for this occasion and it took him not more than two hours of actual work in securing it. This provides for the care of one delegate and also for a plate at a Twin Falls banquet which will be furnished to the Twin Falls delegation.

Four of the county champions are from the west end of the county and in that. The club leader had long time to go to Buhl took the matter up with the chamber of commerce by telephone. Three hours later a check for \$40 was received to fare for the expense of the west end champions.

The boys will be under the chaperonage of the county club leader while enroute and in Pocatello. The club leader has not as yet stated who will chaperone the girls, but will be ready to announce it in a few days. While in Pocatello they will be under the direct chaperonage of Miss Fowles, the assistant state leader, and assisted by a woman who goes with them from this county.

Ed Beckstead of Downey is in Twin Falls for a few days looking after business matters. Wm. Harrison of Buhl is a Twin Falls business visitor. Jesse A. Griffiths of Berkeley is in the city transacting business. Mrs. H. P. Lewis of Burley is a Twin Falls visitor. W. W. Powell of Hollister was a Twin Falls visitor yesterday. John W. Cochran of Buhl was among those who came from that city in Twin Falls, looking after business. Mrs. Leonard C. Vincent is home from several weeks' visit at the home of her parents in Ilwaco, Wis. E. G. Armstrong leaves today for St. Paul where he will spend the holidays.

J. J. Grossman leaves today for South Bend and other Indiana points where he will spend several weeks visiting friends and relatives. Among those from the state university at Moscow who are home to spend the holidays are the Misses Alvertine Benoit, Bernice Babcock, Helen Roberts, Berdie Newman, Gladys Chandel and Irma Spaworth. Jack Williams left yesterday for a short visit with relatives in Illinois. Miss Anna Bird left last night for The Dalles, Oregon, where she will spend the holidays with her parents. F. E. Foreman was in the city yesterday transacting business. Bert Mager returned yesterday from Sed Lake where he spent several days on business. Joseph Qicks of Addison avenue west returned yesterday from Indiana where he has been visiting his own and Mrs. Blinke's people for the past

month. On his way east he visited his daughter, Miss Betty Blake, who is attending the University at Boulder, Colorado. Mrs. Blake's mother returned home with him and will visit here for some months with her daughter.

Mrs. C. G. Elson of Oakley, Idaho, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. E. B. Meacham for the holiday season.

GRACE WINTERS DIVORCE. Grace Winters filed suit yesterday in the district court asking for a divorce from John E. Winters. The plaintiff alleges that the defendant continually found fault with her, cursed her and on a number of occasions struck her. She asks for custody of a minor child.

ALLEGED SUM OF \$247.75. Although the sum of \$247.75 is due on a note, E. Sinclair yesterday filed suit in the district court against E. C. Sinclair and R. E. Deizer asking judgment of this amount.

FILER COUPLE GET LICENSE. A marriage license was issued yesterday to Grant O. Paquet, 25, and Ida Belle Chapman, 16, both of Filer.

NOTICE ON OVERDUE NOTE. Geo. W. Simpson filed suit in the district court yesterday asking for a judgment in the sum of \$113.14 from Indar Singh and Harry Italia, alleged debtors on note.

SUITS ON UNPAID NOTES. E. P. Swank filed complaint in the district court yesterday asking for judgment of \$395.00 from Monte Yen and others alleged to be due from unpaid notes.

ASKS FOR \$400 JUDGMENT. A complaint was filed yesterday in the district court by Carl E. Lind asking for judgment of \$400.00 from Herman Waldert and Bert Waldert. It is alleged the sum is due on a note.

JUDGE DUVALL IMPROVED. Judge O. P. Duvall of the probate court has recovered sufficiently from his recent illness to enable him to resume his judicial duties.

SPECIAL NEW YEAR'S EVE DINNER. There will be a special New Year's Eve dinner at the Perrine hotel here. Dinner will be served from 5:30 to 8 o'clock. Dancing from 8 o'clock to 12:30. Adv. D-18-19-20

HOUSE. Five-room, modern; garage; sleeping porch; good location; immediate possession. \$3500. Phone 371. GEO. H. SMITH.

TAXES MUST BE PAID BY TONIGHT

Because Delinquent Monday Resulting in Six Per Cent Penalty—Large Amount Received.

Today is the last day in which taxpayers can prevent taxes from becoming delinquent.

One half of the assessments levied for this year must be paid by tonight or must be mailed, so that the letter will reach the office of the county treasurer, ex-officio tax collector, Monday, to avoid the pinching of a penalty of six per cent.

Taxes have not yet been paid earlier this year than last due to a change in the law by the last legislature. In spite of the fact that taxpayers have been dilatory until this work in making a payment, Mrs. E. L. Warren, county treasurer, announced yesterday that \$255,747.6 had been received exclusive of the sums coming in the mail. There have not yet been enough, but it is anticipated that the sum will approximate that paid in 1919.

W. O. W. ELECT OFFICERS FOR THE ENSUING TERM. Election of officers of the Wood-

men of the World was held Wednesday evening, the following being elected: M. C. Yenger, consul commander; L. F. Moulton, assistant commander; C. Sparks, banker; E. P. Johnson, past consul commander; G. W. Gelbl, clerk; H. O. McLean, watchman and G. O. Yansen, secretary.

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Christmas Shopping Reminders

Women's Silk Underwear

- Silk Vests (Kayser make), elaborately embroidered, bodice top style, at \$3.50 and \$3.98.
- Knickerbockers (Kayser make), Jersey Silk, reinforced, extra quality. Price \$5.00.
- Silk Top Envelopes (Kayser make). Priced reasonable at \$3.50.
- Corset Covers, Italian silk, handsomely embroidered, bodice top style. Price \$2.45.
- Silk Corset Covers (Kayser make), extra heavy quality. Priced at \$2.75.

Camisoles

The line is so extensive and the styles so varied that a limited space does not permit of a detailed description. There are those of Crepe de Chine and in splendid quality of wash satin and beautiful combinations of silk and laces.

Camisole Ribbons

Wonderfully good quality in genuine all-silk, wonderfully pretty patterns. Thirty different designs. Wonderful value at 65c.

Bath Robes

- In the good looking kind.
- In the good-quality sort—
- In the full cut make—
- In handsome colorings at attractive prices.

Slippers

FOR MEN—
FOR WOMEN—
FOR CHILDREN

Edward Robinson

THREE YEARS WITHOUT HOPE

A Story of Sickness and Suffering with Final Return to Health. It will do you good to read it.

No matter how long nor how much you have suffered, do not give up hope. Do not decide there is no hope for you. There is. Make up your mind to get well. You can. There is remedy in which you may place full reliance as did Mrs. Rosalia Kania of 29 Silver Street, New Britain, Conn. This is what she says: "I had cramps for three years and thought I would never be any better. I could not eat without distress. Slept with my mouth open and could hardly breathe. No medicine helped me. I had catarrh of the stomach. I could not have no cramps and am feeling well and healthy. I wish every suffering person would take PE-RU-NA."



Catarrh affects the mucous membranes in any organ or part. PE-RU-NA, by regulating the digestion and aiding elimination, sends a rich, pure supply of blood and nourishment to the sick and inflamed membranes and health returns. For coughs, colds, catarrh and catarrhal conditions generally, PE-RU-NA is recommended. If you are sick, do not wait and suffer. The sooner you begin using Dr. Hartman's well-known PE-RU-NA, the sooner you may expect to be well and strong and in full possession of your health. A bottle of PE-RU-NA is the finest emergency, ready-to-take remedy to have in the house. It is fourteen ounces of prevention and protection. PE-RU-NA in tablet or liquid form.

Can marriage out of one's social class be successful?

Their worlds were poles apart. He was of the people and she was of aristocratic birth. It is the old, old story that is forever new—new because it has been touched by a master hand, because it deals with a new conflict—between love and labor—a conflict every man and every woman may soon have to face. "Children of Storm," by I. A. R. Wylie, begins where most novels end.

The next President will be elected by women

In politics you get what you ask for. And the women of America are going to ask for—and get—the man who will be the next President of the United States. What the platform of the feminine voters is going to be, how it will be organized, what women should vote for—all these problems of government are outlined by Anne Martin, Independent candidate for United States Senator.

The Real Diary of a Real Boy

Here is another boy who will set America laughing—"Plupy" Shute. His diary, so delightfully humorous, is infused with a charm of other days—the days when you were a boy up in New England, or the Middle West, or down South. This diary places the author, Judge Henry A. Shute, with Mark Twain and Booth Tarkington—the literary fathers of a few immortal boys.

Planning the winter wardrobe

The new silhouette, together with all the other latest fashions, direct from the greatest designers of Paris. Through this department you can wear what is newest and smartest without making a great financial outlay. A complete Paris, New York and National service—12 pages of fashions and 55 illustrations. P. S. You will find a valuable Christmas forethought in these pages.

In the Same Issue

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- William J. Locke
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BUILT TO PUT IN CLUSTER LIGHTS

Light and Water Company Instructed to Make Arrangements With Power Company.

BUIH, Dec. 19.—Buih's Main street, here, to be lighted by cluster lights. The decision was reached by city council at its last meeting when light and water committee was instructed to arrange with the Idaho Power company for the installation of the lights at the earliest possible date. There are 164 lights to cover the district outlined. There will be six lights to a block, one in center of street where streets intersect, and one on each corner of each block. Metal poles, supported by a 100 candle power light in a frosted globe will be put in. It is estimated that the installation of lights in the district outlined would cost approximately \$21,700.

According to the estimate of cost submitted by the power company, it will furnish light to the city for \$36.50 per post per year. The Idaho Power company will install the lighting system, and the city is to pay for it in ten annual payments.

BUIH NEWS NOTES.

BUIH, Dec. 19.—Albert Amos, the best of the Buih boys to return from "over there," arrived here yesterday

to resume his business with the Amos Brothers grocery. Subscriptions for the big Christmas tree celebration are pouring in to the number of commerce and the Buih town which assures that the municipal Christmas tree will be a success. Deputy Marshall John Gordon will spend the holidays in Gooding visiting with relatives. Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Marquardsen, Mrs. E. C. Swanner, Mrs. J. C. Nason and Ernest Marquardsen motored to Twin Falls where they intend to do some shopping. Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Hayes returned yesterday afternoon from the east. They visited friends and relatives in Omaha.

SPECIAL NEW YEAR'S EVE DINNER.

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SAYS STATE OF PEACE FAVORED BY SENATORS

By the Associated Press. SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 18.—Senator Herman W. Johnson upon his arrival here tonight to pass the Christmas holidays at his home declared there was an overwhelming majority of republicans in the senate for adopting a resolution declaring that a state of peace exists.

It is new comb for drying the hair a rubber-hub force-air heated—by electricity in the handle through perforated teeth.

KIMBERLY CHORAL CLUB PLANS CANTATA

"The Good Shepherd" to be Given Sunday Evening at High School Auditorium.

KIMBERLY, Dec. 19.—Music lovers of Kimberly will be given an opportunity Sunday evening to hear the Community Choral club in the presentation of the well known cantata "The Good Shepherd." The cantata will be given in the high school auditorium at 8 o'clock. The affair will be directed by Mr. Halferty, while Mrs. B. J. Hough is the pianist.

Following is the program to be presented:

- "Hark, the Herald Angels Sing"—Chorus and Congregation.
- "Make a Joyful Noise Unto the Lord"—Chorus.
- Invocation and scripture—Hester and Mangum.
- "I Will Surrender My Breath"—Miss Wood, soprano, and Chorus.
- "The Advent"—(Woodman)—Mrs. Donham.
- "Give Ear O Shepherd of Israel"—Chorus.
- "Christians Awake" (Marzo)—Mr. Halferty.
- "Rejoice With Me"—Mr. Latham, tenor, and chorus.
- "Come and Adore"—Misses Erickson and Kault.
- "The Good Shepherd"—Miss Lillian Wood, contralto, and Chorus.
- "The Lord Is My Shepherd"—Mrs. Ross, soprano, and Chorus.
- "Like Wandering Sheep"—Mr. Donham.
- "Praise His Name"—Mr. Burwell, tenor, and Chorus.

FILER NEWS NOTES.

FILER, Dec. 19.—Mrs. W. W. Humphrey, national organizer for the Ladies of the G. A. R., and Dr. Jane Shank visited the Filer circle of the G. A. R. Thursday afternoon.

Colonel H. Munyon of Long Beach, California, returned to his home Thursday after transacting several business matters of importance. While here Colonel Munyon purchased the business block between the D. P. Proctor building and the Farmers and Merchants bank building upon which he contemplates the erection of a modern business block at a later date.

This week's issue of the Filer Record comprises 12 pages, the largest edition of that hustling weekly yet published. It is full of newsy items of interest to its many readers and reflects great credit upon its editor, James Shinn.

In order to take care of its increased patronage, said one article of the latest issue, the Record owners have been compelled to secure more space to house its growing plant. The floor space of the Record will be increased one-third by an arrangement with J. C. Marston whereby the rear half of the Italian offices has been secured. The end of the week will find the Record completely settled.

The Filer Grocery changed hands this week when J. T. Carey purchased the store from Otto and L. A. Stealy. The new owner took possession immediately.

TWO KILLED IN PLANE COLLISION IN FLORIDA

By the Associated Press. ALCADIA, Fla., Dec. 18.—Lieutenant N. S. Bulley of Worcester, Mass., was instantly killed and Lieutenant E. W. Brandenstein was injured in a collision of their airplanes at an altitude of 1,000 feet. When the accident occurred the aviators were doing offensive combat maneuvers over Carlstrom field, where they were attached to the naval air force. Lieut. Brandenstein, whose address was not announced, escaped with a broken arm and minor injuries.

CADDOCK BEATS CHAPMAN.

By the Associated Press. CHICAGO, Dec. 18.—Earl Caddock, heavy-weight wrestling champion, defeated Sam Chapman, British champion, in a straight fall tonight. Caddock took the first fall with his scissors and wristlock in 21 minutes 27 seconds and the second with a body scissors and wristlock in 7 minutes. It was Caddock's first public appearance since he was discharged from the army.

UNIQUE CANVASS TO BE GIVEN TO THE RED CROSS

By the Associated Press. NEW YORK, Dec. 18.—A \$22,000 canvas of "Idealized American womanhood, an enigmatic interpretation of Madonnahood," which will be presented by the war department to Red Cross headquarters in Washington as a tribute to the great ministering organization from the belligerent forces, was placed on exhibition today.

Before being placed on permanent exhibition in Washington, the painting probably will be shown in Chicago, St. Louis, Minneapolis and Cleveland.

The canvas by F. Luis Mora, has been acquired by Secretary Baker through Secretary Joseph G. Kittell, formerly of the general staff. The title is "Thine Is the Glory." Portraits of more than 1,000 women

led Cross workers who rendered most conspicuous service in the war were carefully selected by Red Cross headquarters and divisional and chapter officials throughout the United States and, scientifically tested or blended into one remarkable face by Major Kittell and incorporated in a huge allegoric composition by M. Mora. Among the portraits selected were those of Mrs. Marshall, wife of the vice president; Mrs. August Belmont and those of many shop and factory girls.

CLAIM AUTOMOBILE THIRTS RUINED THROUGH EXPOSURE

By the Associated Press. WASHINGTON, Dec. 18.—An automobile tire worth \$35,000,000 thrown in a pile many feet deep and covering more than 300 acres of ground, was ruined through exposure to the weather at the motor transport camp at Vermont, France, Captain Robert Chantelaine, an officer at the camp, today told a House committee investigating war department expenditures during the war.

No coverings of any kind were placed over the tires for more than 18 months. Captain Chantelaine declared, although there were many canvas tarpaulins scattered around the camp, or being used for less important purposes. Approximately 3,500 motorcycles, after being placed in perfect repair for use by the A. E. F., were parked at the camp and allowed to stand exposed to the weather for months until they became useless piles of junk, other witnesses told the committee.

OREGON OFF FOR SOUTH.

By the Associated Press. EUGENE, Ore., Dec. 18.—The University of Oregon football squad left here today for Pasadena where on January 1 it will contest for national honors with Harvard's champion eleven. Oregon will have about 10 days practice in the southern city before the game.

MASKED MEN STEAL JEWELS VALUED AT NEARLY \$20,000

By the Associated Press. WASHINGTON, Dec. 18.—Two masked men entered the jewelry store of E. F. Hoser tonight, covered Mr. Hoser with revolvers and escaped with 65 diamonds, said to be valued at nearly \$20,000.

BORDEN TO RETAIN PLACE.

By the Associated Press. OTTAWA, Dec. 18.—It is officially announced that Sir Robert Borden is to retain the post of prime minister, and that he will take a "lost rest" to recover his health.

MURTAUGH CLUB BUYS PRIZE PIG

Otto's King to Be Used As Basis for Pure Herd by Farm Bureau Juniors.

Members of the Murtaugh pig club, one of the leading organizations in farm bureau junior work in Twin Falls county, have taken steps towards building one of the best herds of pure bred hogs in Twin Falls county through the purchase of Otto's King, a boar which has taken prizes throughout the northwest during the past year. The purchase was made from L. S. Otto of Filer.

In order to provide funds for the purchase of this animal around which the boys of Murtaugh plan to construct their herd, an association was formed in which members of the club were sold stock at \$5 a share. Practically every member of the Murtaugh club has purchased stock in the association. Otto's King is a pure bred Duroc Jersey which has been the leader of Mr. Otto's herd for some time. Otto's King was exhibited at the Lewiston

livestock show in Portland, and at other leading exhibitions. Not only has the King won prizes himself, but many of his offspring have been ranked as among the best Duroc Jerseys raised in the entire northwest. The Murtaugh pig club has already developed a reputation as one of the foremost pig clubs in the state. Its president, Carl Randall, will represent Idaho at the Interstate Fair at Spokane next fall.

ARREST HUSBAND'S WIFE IN CONNECTION WITH MURDER

By the Associated Press. PARIS, Dec. 18.—As a result of a further investigation into the case of Henry Landru, who is under arrest in connection with the disappearance of 12 women whom it is charged he either had married or promised to marry, Landru's wife and their eldest son, Maurice, were taken into custody charged with forgery and complicity with Landru in his alleged crime.

BEATS PADDY BURNS.

By the Associated Press. CLEVELAND, O., Dec. 18.—Cal DeLaney of Cleveland was given the newspaper decision over Paddy Burns of Brooklyn in a 10-round bout tonight. They weighed 135 pounds.

"WITH LOVE FROM DAD"

the little Christmas card read. And accompanying it was a pass-book of this Intuition showing entry of an initial deposit. An appropriate remembrance this! Not only for far-sighted parents to give to their children—but for friends to give to friends. To help instill the thrift habit; to steer someone successward; to lay, perhaps, the foundation of fortune—these are the possibilities of such a gift!

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NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS

Taxes Become Delinquent December 22. The Last Day to Pay Them is December 20. Remittances Mailed On or Before December 20 Are Safe.

E. E. WARREN,
County Treasurer.

Place a Red Cross Seal On Every Package You Mail



The National Tuberculosis Association, which directs the annual seal sale, estimates that \$6,500,000 will be needed to carry out the nation-wide program of additional open-air schools, sanatoria, clinics, dispensaries and visiting nurses the coming year. This organization, the leading agency in America to fight the white plague, is financed chiefly by the annual sale of the Red Cross Christmas Seal.

HELP THE RED CROSS

By buying your seals today. They are helping others by their work, and you can help them this month by buying RED CROSS SEALS.

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WHICH WAY FOR JAPAN?

The possibility of a Russo-German-Japanese alliance being formed within the next few years has become a nightmare to many people. To them it means that "the next war" will have to be fought within 15 or 20 years by the rest of the world against that alliance, with the English-speaking peoples bearing the brunt of it.

Nor is that menace wholly of the stuff that dreams are made of.

Japan seems to be entering a period similar to that of Germany 40 years ago. She has emerged from a feudal, self-centered period of devotion to her own art, her own religion, her own politics, into a period which may be called centrifugal. She is being pushed outside her own confines by increasing population and by the material urge. She sees the "modern improvements" of the outer world and adopts their shells without the spirit which inspired them.

She is, like the Germany of 40 years ago, plastic, ready to be molded for good or ill, into a horrible fighting machine or into one of the most beneficent of civilized forces.

Germany, it goes without saying, would be only too glad to go at it again if there were any hope of recouping past losses and winning fresh gains.

Russia in 10 years will be shaken down into some sort of order, but poor and resentful against the rest of the world. It would be reasonable to suppose that she would welcome such an alliance with a promise of wealth and power to be used for her own development.

The turn of the balance lies with Japan. Arthur Bullard, in Harper's Magazine says we must decide "either to befriend Japan or bully her. It is hard to conceive a middle course." He thinks we have our chance, at this stage, to ward off the Germanizing process. His concluding paragraph, as indeed the whole article, will bear serious consideration:

"We cannot win the friendship of Japan with words. We must deal justly with her. We must co-operate with her in working out plans for her national well-being, which do not depend on the old method of brutal domination, which we want to see discarded—on the kind of diplomacy which she has learned from the practice of Christendom. If we want Japan to be more considerate to her weaker neighbor than other nations have been—or are—we must give her active and cordial assistance. There is no other policy for us, if we wish the Pacific Ocean to deserve its attractive name."

HE TOLD THE MARINES

There doesn't seem to be any standardization of punishment or reward for the modern rivals of Baron Munchausen. Witness the dishonorable discharge of a captain of the United States marine corps, on the charge that he deliberately made up his story of doughy battle with a dozen German airplanes.

It was a perfectly good story of a perfectly sanguinary battle. The captain, in a borrowed British plane, engaged, or said

he engaged, twelve enemy planes in combat over the British front, destroyed five and damaged two others, and sweeping earthward with his own plane—damaged, scattered—a detachment of enemy soldiers. The captain added that, after landing, he fooled three German soldiers whom he encountered into believing his compass was a bomb, forced two of them to flee and captured the other. Then, still keeping his captive, he said he found a wounded French officer and carried him back to safety within the British lines, crossing a stream—under heavy fire by the Germans.

Now, anybody will admit that no better yarn came out of the war than that, not even George Creel's Fourth of July American fleet victory over the German submarines. The artistry of the marine's tale far outdoes that of the official story of the fleet's victory, but the self-acclaimed hero is a candidate for condolence for his exhibition of trust in a popular axiom: "Tell that to the marines."

He did—and they didn't believe him!

CONCERNING "XMAS."

Cannot something be done to get rid of "Xmas?" This symbol very likely had its value originally, and may still have sometimes, as a convenient abbreviation. The trouble is that, from having been a mere symbol, it has come to be used often as if it were a word in itself—which most emphatically it is not.

A department store, for instance, advertises a fur cap as "an Xmas gift." A critical reader thereupon announces that he "isn't going to buy any Nexmas gifts" for anybody. The criticism seems well taken. To save space, it may be permissible sometimes to say, at least in advertising type, "a-Xmas gift," to be read, "a Christmas gift," but surely "an Xmas" is indefensible.

Really, any way you take it, the thing is a verbal monstrosity. Even when the "X" is given its proper pronunciation value, by extending the use of it a bit, we might have such a result as this, suggested by a humorous column-conductor:

"At the Smith Street Xian church yesterday, the Rev. Xopher North preached a Xmas sermon, the theme being 'The Birth of X.'" After the sermon Xening services were held.

Why not stop the evil before it goes that far?

SAVE THE COAL

Let nobody start in burning up all the coal in the bin just because the strike is over. It will be weeks before coal starts flowing again from the mines in its usual stream. And even a resumption of normal production and distribution will not end the famine-altogether.

There is a shortage in the country's winter fuel supply amounting to tens of millions of tons—the amount that would have been dug by half a million men if they had worked steadily for the last six weeks instead of remaining idle.

It will be necessary, therefore, for everybody to use coal, and the heat, light and power derived from it, with the utmost economy throughout the winter. Otherwise it will be a hard winter, in spite of all the efforts the coal industry may put forth to make up for the lost time.

Isn't it queer how the pro-Germans in this country don't want to go to Germany, and the Bolsheviks don't want to go to Russia? Still, we've noticed that even Christians who profess to despise life and desire Heaven are in no hurry to get started for that blessed abode.

British courts have decided that England has no legal right to hold the German U-boat commander who sank the hospital ship, Glenart Castle. That commander had no right to sink the hospital ship, either—but he did it.

THE GREAT AMERICAN HOME



RUSH PLANS TO DEPORT RADICALS

Expect Transport to Leave Ellis Island Sunday With Berkman and His Followers.

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—Anarchists and anti-socials from all sections of the United States were being rushed by special trains tonight to Ellis island, to join the large colony of radicals already assembled there awaiting deportation to soviet Russia.

Immigration officials said that the transport which will take the radicals, including Emma Goldman and Alexander Berkman, on their homeward journey, probably will sail Sunday.

Three special trains, one from Pittsburgh; another from Buffalo and a third from Philadelphia, will arrive tomorrow with contingents of radicals for deportation. The Pittsburgh train will bring forty anarchists.

Acting Commissioner of Immigration Byron H. Hill, said that 25 persons, including 18 anarchists, arrived at the island today for deportation from New Jersey.

Wives of the Russian radicals being held at Ellis Island tonight sent a letter to Commissioner General of Immigration Cammeltt, containing an appeal that they and their children be deported to soviet Russia with their husbands.

Counsel for L. C. A. K. Martens, "ambassador" from soviet Russia today filed notice of an appeal to the appellate division from the decision of Supreme Court Justice Greenbaum, ordering him to submit for examination by the joint legislative investigating committee books or papers pertaining to his relations with the Russian soviet government.

PALMER TELLS STORY OF END OF BIG STRIKE

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just we wanted, the production of coal."

Garfield in Conference.

Between the first and second conferences with the miners' union chiefs, Mr. Palmer said Secretary of the Treasury Finley, Director General of Railroads Hill, and First Administrator, Garfield had been consulted and had approved the arbitration plans.

Finlay on a train going to Indianapolis where injunction proceedings were to be disposed of, Palmer accompanied by Lewis and Green, drew up a memorandum specifying the conditions which the miners accepted. It was this memorandum which finally caused Dr. Garfield to resign, the testimony developed, because of its terms. It proposed to create a commission of three with power to "recommend both wages and prices" to be observed while Dr. Garfield thought that "only a consultative body should be created."

"I know what the president meant," Mr. Palmer said, when questioned by Senator Wolcott, democrat, Delaware, as to whether the memorandum of agreement had carried out the president's intention. He added, under further questioning that there was no authority under which the government could fix wages, but that much of the agreement's force would depend upon public opinion, "which has

not lost its power" in the United States.

Attorney Butler when called to the stand declared that the final memorandum of agreement between the attorneys general and the miners was "diametrically opposed" to that of Dr. Garfield, which the operators had accepted.

"Dr. Garfield never contemplated a commission to fix prices, for one thing," he said.

Ogle H. called Senator Townsend at the conclusion of his testimony, asked for someone who could speak for the mine operators, and Ogle was called.

After a moment of fencing with Senator Townsend and a conference with Mr. Butler he proceeded. "On Friday, December 5, after Dr. Garfield's proposal had been rejected by the miners and the injunction proceedings were being pushed at Indianapolis, Mr. Ogle said, 'members of the coal operator's executive committee and myself, were called in for talk with the attorney general in his office.'"

Has Some Difficulties.

"He said that we must have some figure for a wage advance above the 14 per cent suggested by Dr. Garfield which we would be willing to offer the miners in order to settle the situation. The government was not engaged in comparing its stand, he said, but had some difficulties."

"The injunction proceedings, according to a head at Indianapolis on Tuesday he told us and they were afraid that Judge Anderson would act in a characteristic fashion and put some of these men in jail for violating his injunction under the Lever act. There might be a general act. As he said, which ought to be avoided. He said that the fuel administration was only a temporary official, and that his proposal of a 11 per cent increase could be set aside. He asked us how far we would go in a further advance of wages."

DENY NEGOTIATIONS HAVE BEEN BROKEN OFF

By the Associated Press.

LONDON, Dec. 19.—The negotiations between James O'Grady, representing Great Britain, and Maxim Litvinoff, on behalf of soviet Russia, which have been going on at Copenhagen with a view to bringing about the release of prisoners, have not been definitely broken off, according to official announcement today.

MAKE KNOWN DEMANDS OF REDS ON THE BRITISH

By the Associated Press.

LONDON, Dec. 19.—The British demands in the prisoner-exchange negotiations at Copenhagen are given as Moscow wishes, message received today. The release of all British prisoners is offered in return for 100 Bolsheviks and 20 others mentioned in a special list.

Removal of obstacles preventing the return of 2,000 Bolsheviks who went to Denmark from Germany, was also demanded in the terms.

BENNY HAS A SET-UP

By the Associated Press.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Dec. 19.—Henry Leonard of New York, lightweight champion of the world, knocked out "Red" Herring of Paducah, Ky., tonight in the sixth round of a scheduled eight-round "no decision" bout.

ALIAS SUMMONS.

In the District Court of the Fourth Judicial District of the State of Idaho, in and for Twin Falls County.

AGUSTA: Osmun, Plaintiff, vs. Henry Osmun, defendant.

The State of Idaho sends Greetings to Henry Osmun, the above named defendant:

You are hereby summoned and required to appear in an action brought against you by the said plaintiff in the said district court of the Fourth Judicial District of the State of Idaho, in and for Twin Falls County, and to answer the within complaint of the above named plaintiff filed therein within twenty days exclusive of the day of service, after the service on you of this summons and complaint if served within this judicial district, or if served elsewhere within forty days.

The said action is brought to dissolve the bonds of matrimony between the plaintiff and defendant on the grounds of cruelty and you are hereby notified that if you fail to appear and answer the complaint as above required, the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded.

Witness my hand and the seal of the District Court of the Fourth Judicial District of the State of Idaho in and for Twin Falls County, this 14th day of November, 1919.

SEAL. C. C. SIGGINS, Clerk of the District Court, Guthrie & Myers, Attorneys for Plaintiff, Residing at Twin Falls, Idaho. Ex-Rev. 21-28-Dec. 8-12-19-26

ALIAS SUMMONS.

In the District Court of the Fourth Judicial District of the State of Idaho, in and for Twin Falls County.

Frank J. Purdy, plaintiff, vs. Miss Snyder, deceased, the unknown heirs and devisees of Miss Snyder, deceased, and the unknown owners of Lot Three (3), Block 140, of the original townsite of Twin Falls, Twin Falls County, State of Idaho, and the Idaho Lumber Company, a corporation, the above named defendants.

The State of Idaho sends Greetings to Miss Snyder, deceased, the unknown heirs and devisees of Miss Snyder, deceased, and the unknown owners of Lot Three (3), Block 140, of the original townsite of Twin Falls, Twin Falls County, State of Idaho, and the Idaho Lumber Company, a corporation, the above named defendants.

You are hereby notified that a complaint has been filed against you in the District Court of the Fourth Judicial District of the State of Idaho, in and for Twin Falls County, by the plaintiff herein named, and you are hereby directed to appear and answer said complaint within twenty days of the service of this summons if served within said judicial district, and within forty days if served elsewhere. And you are further notified that unless you appear and answer herein specified, the plaintiff will take judgment against you as prayed in said complaint.

The nature of the cause of action brought by the plaintiff in this cause is an action to quiet title against the defendant in favor of the plaintiff of Lot 3 in Block 140 of the original townsite of Twin Falls, Twin Falls County, State of Idaho.

Witness my hand and the seal of said District Court this 14th day of November, 1919.

SEAL. C. C. SIGGINS, Clerk of the District Court, Guthrie & Myers, Attorneys for Plaintiff, Residing at Twin Falls, Idaho. Ex-Rev. 21-28-Dec. 8-12-19-26

INTRODUCE ALLEGED CONFESSION BY NEW TO FIGHT H. C. L. DISCUSS METHODS TO FIGHT H. C. L.

Court Favors Prosecution in Deciding Important Legal Point in the Murder Case.

By the Associated Press. LOS ANGELES, Calif., Dec. 19.—An alleged confession of Harry New, charged with the murder of his sweetheart, Freda Lesser, was admitted in evidence and read to the jury trying him here today.

The defense had announced its intention to present strong arguments against admission of an alleged confession by New, but Leonie Davis, leading counsel for New, made only a brief, though vigorous, objection.

The alleged confession was laid before the jury through the testimony of E. J. Davidson, a police detective, who swore it had been made in his presence and that of another police officer, and two newspaper men, July 5 last, at central post station here.

Davidson testified he was on duty as a desk sergeant when New entered his office and laying down a revolver on the witness' desk, told him he had killed a girl.

Now then re-entered the station and made a formal confession, Davidson said, which was reduced to writing. In this alleged confession New said he killed the girl, because she refused to marry him, and though admitting she was in a state of expectant motherhood, would not bear a child by him and planned to have an illegal operation performed.

The prosecution announced another and more lengthy confession, which it has been made by New would be offered in evidence Monday when the trial resumed.

CARRANZA FORMALLY ACCEPTS CANDIDACY FOR GOVERNOR

By the Associated Press. SAN ANTONIO, Tex., Dec. 19.—President Carranza has formally accepted the candidacy for the governorship of the state of Coahuila offered him last week by petition from the people of the cities of Piedras Negras, Saltillo, Cuatro Ciudades, Monclova and Torreon, according to information reaching here today from Mexico City.

The president will not make an active campaign until the expiration of his present office next July. Luis Cabrera, secretary of the treasury, stated that by Carranza condescending to take such an office after having been first ruler of the land showed that his heart was with the people and for the welfare of the country.

MORRISON IS TO BECOME WORLD'S LARGEST HOTEL

By the Associated Press. CHICAGO, Dec. 19.—Hotel company, owners of the Hotel Morrison, announced today completion of purchase of leases permitting expansion of the Morrison to become the world's largest hotel with 2,800 rooms, including will begin with the expansion of leases in 1924. The Hotel Pennsylvania of New York, with 2,000 rooms, now is the world's largest hotel, with the Hotel Commodore, also in New York, second, with 2,300 rooms.

RELEASE SUGAR CONSIGNMENT TO MEXICAN MERCHANTS

By the Associated Press. EL PASO, Tex., Dec. 19.—Release of 4,000 sacks here, but consigned to Mexican merchants, was virtually assured tonight when it became known that J. Felipe Valde, customs collector at Juarez, had received provisional permission from Mexico City to release the sugar for distribution here.

MOBILIZE GUARD COMPANY

By the Associated Press. WINONA, Minn., Dec. 19.—D company, fifth regiment, Minnesota national guard, comprising fifty men and two officers, tonight was being mobilized to entrain Sunday night for duty in the northern part of the state.

ELKS ENJOY DANCE

The Elks entertained at one of their informal dances last night. A large crowd attended and enjoyed one of the most pleasant of the Elks' many dances.

Palmer Committee Holds Its First Conference Since Commencement of Coal Strike.

By the Associated Press. WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—Subcommittee members and other high officials who have, been assisting Attorney General Palmer in the fight on the coal of living today held their first conference since the coal strike side-tracked all other activities.

Reports were received by the conference from J. E. Fitzgerald, special assistant to Mr. Palmer, which were said to show continued progress in keeping down prices.

The reports were especially gratifying, Mr. Palmer said, "taking into consideration the fact that when we began our campaign last summer we were at the high point of supply, and the low point of demand, while now we are at the low point of supply and the peak of demand." A graphic representation of living costs would show a very satisfactory curve of price ranges.

With the approval of the conference, Mr. Palmer is preparing a statement summarizing the results obtained, which probably will be given out tomorrow.

Mr. Fitzgerald, who has been in close touch with producers of wearing apparel, announced today that at their suggestion, a conference will be held next month which will undertake to devise means for checking the increase in clothing prices. One of the most important steps to be considered will be the production and the marketing of a certain fixed amount of standard, medium-priced goods, as an incentive to the public to abandon the era of extravagance which has followed war prosperity.

Mr. Palmer said today he could not predict the immediate effect on prices of the settlement of the anti-trust action against the packers.

The big effect of the proposed decree, he said, "is to open the channels of business freely to all men without fear of domination by these interests."

The court in which the agreed decree will be entered will not be announced until the decree is filed, which will be after the holidays.

An announcement was made today by the Southern Wholesale Grocers' association that its complaint against a large number of railroads for alleged preferences in the way of rates and privileges to the five large packers would be dismissed from further consideration by the interstate commerce commission.

DEMANDS INVESTIGATION OF SELLING AMERICAN STOCKS

By the Associated Press. PARIS, Dec. 19.—Deputy Paul La Fonta deposited in the chamber of deputies today a demand for an interpellation of the government on "the scandal of the pillage of American stocks."

Despatches from Paris under date of December 11, said that the French department of justice had ordered "an investigation of unauthorized sales of American war stocks, purchased by the French government, to Germany. It was alleged that millions of francs' worth of good bought from America, and released for sale in the various departments of France by the French government, had been shipped to Germany and disposed of at enormous profit."

TAKE STEPS TO SECURE PAIR'S RELEASE FROM JAIL

By the Associated Press. NEWARK, N. J., Dec. 19.—Prosecutor Edmund C. Gaskill of Atlantic county was ordered tonight to produce Charles S. White and Mr. Edith L. Jones, arrested in connection with the alleged murder of three-year-old "Billy" Dansey, before Supreme Court Justice Charles C. Black at Mays Landing next Monday and show cause why they should not be released from jail. The order was issued by Superior Court Justice Francis J. Swayne. Application for the order was made by counsel for White and Mrs. Jones.

D'ANNUNZIO IS FORCED TO POSTPONE PLEASINGATE

By the Associated Press. ROME, Dec. 19.—The plebiscite, by which it was intended to determine whether Gabriele D'Annunzio's forces should leave Fiume, was not held today. Persistent objections by various factions and insistence by the extremists that the present garrison remain in the city made a postponement of the vote necessary until more quiet conditions prevail. The voting probably will take place Sunday.

SCHOOL TEACHERS ARE THREATENING A STRIKE

By the Associated Press. DENVER, Colo., Dec. 19.—A strike of school teachers at the Englewood public schools on January 5 is threatened unless the school board acts favorably upon a request of the recently formed teachers' union for increased salaries. Englewood is a suburb of Denver.

Wright's A GOOD PLACE TO TRADE FORMERLY HART'S Today's Best Gift News

OUR CLEARANCE SALE is still in progress and odd stocks are moving rapidly at the greatly reduced prices. We are preparing for our new SPRING STOCKS and as the space is limited, it will be necessary to move a great deal of merchandise before January first, for this purpose you will find smart reductions in every section.



All Coats At Less Than Half Price. Our entire stock of Women's Coats have been placed into two lots for quick sale. LOT ONE: Your choice of fifteen handsome coats. A splendid assortment— at \$29.50. LOT TWO: Your choice of twenty very attractive coats; all styles and sizes— at \$39.50.



Hand Bags: Hand bags, beautiful velvet bags, with hammered silver tops, hand carved frames; also leather bags in assorted shapes; Heister's bags, children's gift bags, new imported hand bags— 50c to \$25.00. Back Straps: Buck strap purses, in black leathers; assorted sizes; regular \$1.50— Special \$1.00. Tourist Cases: and complete line of leather goods, collar cases, wallets, handbags, portfolios, etc. Corsets: Knit caps in all colors and sizes; made of silk and wool, values \$1.25 to \$2.50— Your choice \$1.00. Knit Leggings: Baby knit leggings, in white and red, full length with draw tape at waist— \$1.95. Warm Slippers: Children's felt slippers, plain and fancy tops, come in Alice blue, royal blue and red; sizes 8 1/2 to 12— Special \$1.25 pair. Hair Bow Ribbons: Hair bow ribbon of plaids, stripes and plain colors; very best quality of taffeta; regular 60c— A yard 40c. Shoes As Gifts: The giving of Shoes again as Gifts, will recall the pleasure that such gifts gave last season when practical giving was the order of the day. These new styles are far more attractive in every way, because last year's shoe restrictions have entirely faded into the background. Here are Shoe Gifts for all.

Practical Gifts for Children. Gloves: Boys' gauntlet gloves in soft gray leather and fleeced-lined; regular \$1.25— Special 90c. Cape Gloves: Tan fleeced-lined— gloves for children; warm and serviceable— Pair \$1.35. Mittens: Knit mittens in assorted colors; all wool yarn; regular 50c— Special 35c. Golf Gloves: Children's golf gloves in assorted colors; knit of high-grade yarns; regular 75c— Special 60c. Knit Gloves: Light weight knit gloves in light, bright colors; soft cotton yarns; good wearing— Special 25c a pair. Scout Hose: Boy scout hose; heavy rib in black, double heel and toe; sizes 8 1/2 to 10 1/2; 60c values— Now 50c.

HOSIERY: Pure Silk Hose. Women's pure silk and fiber hose, drop stitch, two-toned, full fashioned; all colors and sizes— \$1.85. Just received! Pure silk hose— Prices \$2.50 to \$3.75. (Cashmere hose for men, women and children.) HANDKERCHIEFS: Those of you who have been expecting to give handkerchiefs, please take note that you should buy them early. Handkerchiefs are usually the last hour selection. This season, however, the buying started early and stocks are soon to be depleted. Make selections now. Men's Handkerchiefs: Just arrived. Box of six 60c. Box of six 75c. Large size, each 35c. Irish Linen, each 50c. Child's Gift Handkerchiefs: Children's box handkerchiefs, attractive with prints, 3 in box— Each 25c. Children's Handkerchiefs: Children's handkerchiefs of Swiss with pictures printed on them that suit the children— 6 for 50c. Each 10c. Silk Crepe Handkerchiefs: Silk crepe handkerchiefs, in all colors and designs— 25c each. Plain White: Women's box handkerchiefs, 3/4-in. hem, embroidered in corner in white and colors, 3 in box— 50c. Fancy Borders: Large assortment at 15c, 2 for 25c. Decoration Handkerchiefs: All handkerchiefs that fall from our decoration art selling list at 50c— Six for 25c.



Silk Underwear: You Know all about the kinds and fabrics of silk underwear, and that there is no gift more acceptable. We want to say that you simply cannot afford to make a purchase of silk underwear until you have seen the garments here. We are selling these at prices less than today's wholesale market. Gifts of Silk Petticoats: This is a time of fancy silk petticoats and the fashion has produced some wonderfully patterned ones. The fabrics are taffeta, satins and silk jerseys, in wonderful color effects. Many of them in the two-tone colors. The trounce very handsomely graduated to the edge. Prices begin around \$4.95. Baby Dress: Baby dress in packages, all ready to embroider; dainty designs; all sizes, specially priced. New sizes are here. Crib Blankets: Baby crib blankets, scalloped edges, size 30x50, blue and pink; fancy designs; regular \$1.50— Your choice 95c. Suits: All suits are half price, which means that the best suit here, a handsome \$150 garment, may be had today for \$75. There are \$35 garments that are now selling at \$17.50; and there is not a suit in the house but what will be a good style in the spring— at which time, by the way, prices are going to be very high.

Fabric Scarfs and Throws: Attractive and very practical articles of wearing apparel are these scarfs, which are here in mole plush, seal plush, chinchilla and velours. Your choice of entire lot at ONE-THIRD LESS. Separate Skirts: The greatest popularity of the season has been claimed by these novel separate skirts. They are so indisputably modish and they successfully inspire one to become interested in outdoor sports because of their bright colorings in plaids and checks. Furs---The Ideal Gift: Husbands in doubt, please take notice: There is absolutely no question about the desirability of furs. It is only a question of whether she has one or not. Here are the new smart sets and scarfs in a wonderful assortment; muffs either in sets or separate. And what is most important every fur goes out with the guarantee of W. H. Wright & Sons Company.



The New Wide Scarfs: These new wide scarfs are more than a half yard wide. They are worn like a cape and are so wide that they really form a good warm cape when thrown over the shoulders. Many of you have been waiting for this news—they're here at last. The new shipment also includes knit coats as above. Dresses: A dress of tricotone, of dutilane, a dress of the very new winning style, with the hand embroidered trimmings, a dress that will be a pleasure every time it is donned. Would that not be some gift? "I dress you out you'll like it \$100, as you wish, and we'll tell you what you need to pay, we guarantee to have right now the best value for that particular amount of money. If in doubt, have a look at dresses.

W. H. Wright & Sons Company. Illustrations of various clothing items including dresses, suits, and scarves.

LOVE O' MIKE IS GIVEN TO MOTHER

New York Jurist Decides Solomon Problem in Favor of Child's Parent.

By the Associated Press. NEW YORK, Dec. 18.—The shade of King Solomon was on the children's bench today when Justice Levy tried to decide who was the mother of little "Love O' Mike," claimed by two women—Mrs. August Wentz as her kidnapped son and by Mrs. Lena Lisa as the baby she had planned to abandon to the mercies of Mrs. Elizabeth Seaman.

When she had concluded, her small frame shaken with sobs, the judge, with obvious emotion, ordered the baby returned to her.

There will be a special New Year's Eve dinner at the Ferrero hotel cafe. Dinner will be served from 5:30 to 8 o'clock. Dancing from 8 o'clock to 12:30. Adv. D-18-19-20

SPECIAL NEW YEARS EVE DINNER

APPOINT CLARK OF IOWA ON COMMERCE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18.—The nomination of Edward E. Clark of Iowa, to the interstate commerce commission for the term expiring December 31, 1926, and the appointment of Nelson B. Gaskill of New Jersey to the federal trade commission to succeed former Governor J. Franklin Fort, resigned, were confirmed tonight by the senate.

DAUGHTER FOR CARLOS

NEW YORK, Dec. 18.—A daughter was born tonight to Mrs. Emilio Caruso, formerly Miss Dorothy Park Bennett, of New York, who was married to the tenor singer in August, 1918.

JOINT COMMISSION FOR PREVENTION OF FLOODS

WINNIPEG, Dec. 18.—The appointment of a joint commission by the five states of "Canada to deal with the problem of the prevention of floods in the Red river valley, was agreed upon today at a conference

here of representatives of the dominion, provincial and United States governments. The American delegates declared that with proper protection a sum of \$100,000,000 could be saved in the next thirty years. Large areas of Manitoba, Minnesota and North Dakota are affected every year by the floods.

FOUR ARE DEAD FROM PHOSPHORUS MONOXIDE GAS

By the Associated Press. NEW YORK, Dec. 18.—Monoxide gas poisoning caused the death of four persons whose bodies were found today at the home of Eugene Berthoin at Shevond bay, according to Edward Stuart, medical examiner for Kings county, who investigated the tragedy tonight.

AMERICAN IS INDICTED

HAVANA, Dec. 18.—H. D. (Charles) Brown, an American sporting man, was indicted today on a charge of "frustrated homicide" and remanded to jail without bail pending the outcome of the wounds of Alberto Piedra, who was shot at the Oriental park race track a few days ago. Piedra, whose condition continues to show improvement, charges Brown with having shot him.

LOUISIANA SUGAR CROP LESS THAN HALF THIS YEAR

By the Associated Press. NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 18.—The Louisiana sugar crop this year is less than half of that last year, according to the preliminary report for 1919 issued tonight by Lionel J. Jones, financial agent of bureau of crop estimates. The 1919 crop is estimated at 115,659 tons against 280,000 produced in 1918.

TABOIS ARRIVE IN LAWTON TO FACE CHARGE OF MURDER

LAWTON, Mich., Dec. 18.—Mrs. Tabois and her son, Walter, returned in the Van-Bure tonight following summons before the coroner's jury which tomorrow will again take up the inquiry into the death of Maude Tabois.

NEGOTIATIONS BROKEN OFF

COPENHAGEN, Dec. 18.—The negotiations between James G. Brady, representing Great Britain, and Maxim Litvinoff, representative of soviet Russia, which have been going on here regarding the repatriation of British prisoners held in Russia, have been broken off without an agreement being reached.

WIDOW OF JAMES J. HILL REPORTED SERIOUSLY ILL

ST. PAUL, Dec. 18.—Mrs. James J. Hill, widow of the "empire builder" tonight was reported to be seriously ill. Louis F. Hill, a son, said his mother's health has been falling for some time and that she has been confined in her home for six weeks.

TO INCREASE FARES

TACOMA, Wash., Dec. 18.—The Tacoma Railway and Power company gave notice today of an increase in street car fares from 10 cents beginning January 15.



He wore a funny English skirt and a cane. The "Colts" may be in the majority, but the "Mikes" make the most noise. They should worry whether there is sugar for the coffee or no. Minneapolis is a sure-Mike town. Besides Mike O'Dowd there is Mike

Gibbons and Mike Collins and "Little" Mike Britz. Across the river the bus was full bare as wear by Mike Kelly. It's easy to start a battle royal. Gang in a coffee and hash saloon fight a fight because a customer spilled the last three spoonsful of sweetness. Carpenter is pronounced without the mechanical accent. Average fight fans trying to give Carpenter the right pronunciation resembles an ill-nourished corn grower going through the agony of ordering a meal from a French menu without using his index finger.

Jimmy Dronnon says it is pronounced Carpenter and not Carpenter. That is to say you say it like this train for a month and then challenge. Jack Dempsey. Of course if a moving picture press agent had the idea, there is nothing odd or rare or nutty about it. It is natural for a press agent to try to get the Prince of Wales, he that way. But where does Babe enter the hall wearing an English model overcoat, carrying a cane and shaking hands with the left. And there was what appeared to be a slight swag to his stride. "Twain" not so. Jimmy's dullness was an affliction. He had the rheumatism in the left leg and the right arm that accounts for the cane and the left handed shake. He hasn't explained the o'coat yet. The shine ball, the spitter and the other fancy shots please the old stocks in trade. The forward pass and the open work game supplant the mass plays and tandem formations.

An old fashioned "rag time" baby is of any team in the country. All his men are back for 1920. Every dog has his day. There's a silver lining in every cloud. And even an umpire gets a smite out of time now and then. By dating the Dempsey-Carpenter

A man with an idea is a rarity; sometimes an oddity; sometimes a nut. Babe Ruth has an idea he can train for a month and then challenge. Of course if a moving picture press agent had the idea, there is nothing odd or rare or nutty about it. It is natural for a press agent to try to get the Prince of Wales, he that way. But where does Babe enter the hall wearing an English model overcoat, carrying a cane and shaking hands with the left. And there was what appeared to be a slight swag to his stride. "Twain" not so. Jimmy's dullness was an affliction. He had the rheumatism in the left leg and the right arm that accounts for the cane and the left handed shake. He hasn't explained the o'coat yet. The shine ball, the spitter and the other fancy shots please the old stocks in trade. The forward pass and the open work game supplant the mass plays and tandem formations.

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Market News

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Grain

CHICAGO—Hogs—Receipts 55,000; mostly 1c higher than yesterday's average; bulk \$13.00@14.10; top \$14; heavy \$13.80@14; medium \$11.90@12.75; light \$11.75@12.15; light-light \$11.50@11.90; heavy packing hogs, smooth, \$12.25@13.25; packing sows, rough, \$12.75@13.25; pigs \$12.75@13.75.

Cattle—Receipts 8,000; steady. Beef steers, medium and light, \$11.40@12; culls and primes, \$11.40@20; medium and good, \$10.75@11.40; common 8.25@10.75; light weight, good and choice \$13.25@19.25; common and medium, \$7.50@13; butcher cattle; hollers \$7.50@12.25; cows \$6@13; canners and cutters, \$5@6; veal calves \$11.50@12; feeder steers \$6.75@12; stocker steers, \$5@10.25.

Sheep—Receipts 7,000; firm; lambs \$11@17; culls and common \$13@14.75; ewes, medium and good, \$7.50@10; culls and common \$4.00@7.50.

Estimated receipts tomorrow: Hogs 15,000; cattle, 4,000; sheep, 3,000.

CHICAGO, Dec. 19.—Comply that Canada and New England were resulting to the west disinterested buyers of corn today and led to a late decline in values. The close was unsettled, 1/4 to 3/4 c net lower with January 13 3/4 to 13 1/2 and May 13 1/4 to 13 1/4. Oats finished 3/4 net lower to 1/2 advance. In provisions the outcome varied from 22c decline to a rise of 7c.

Fresh work in the British exchange was the accepted explanation of messages from the east telling of a recede of the corn. Decline in exchange rates, however, did not have much effect on the corn market until notice was taken of talk about corn re-sales. In fact, prices averaged higher during the greater part of the day, influenced by lightness of offerings and by reports that the Indian foreign finance bill was ready to be signed by the president. Higher quotations on hogs counted as a bullish factor in corn, and so too did evidence that our own shortage was still seriously curtailing the movement of the crop.

Oats like corn reflected the weakness of foreign exchange. Big losses were said to have done considerable selling.

Provisions were dull and irregular. Advances in the price of hogs failed.

OMAHA—Hogs—Receipts, 8,500; market 10 to 20c higher; top \$13.80; bulk, \$13.35@13.70; heavy weight, \$13.40@13.65; medium weight \$13.50@13.80; light weight, \$13.25@13.70; light light, \$13.00@13.25; packing hogs, smooth, \$13.25@13.40; packing sows, rough, \$13.00@13.20; pigs \$10.75@13.50.

Cattle—Receipts 2,500; beef steers, good and choice butcher stock 15 to 25c higher; other classes steady. Beef steers; medium and heavy weight; choice and prime, \$16.75@18; medium and good \$10.75@16.75; common \$9@10.75; light-weight; good and choice \$15.00@18.75; common and medium, \$8.50@15.50; butcher cattle, hollers, \$6.50@13.25; cows, \$4.25@12.50; canners and cutters, \$4.75@6.25; veal calves, light and heavy weight, \$13@14.50; feeder steers, \$7@13; stocker steers, \$6.00@11.

Sheep—Receipts, 4,000; market steady. Lambs \$4 pounds down, \$15@18.25; culls and common \$11@14.40; yearling wethers, \$12.50@14.40; ewes; medium and choice \$8.25@9.50; culls and common \$5@8.25.

CHICAGO—Corn, No. 2, mixed, \$1.05@1.15; No. 2, yellow not quoted; No. 3, yellow, \$1.03@1.05.

Oats—No. 2, white, 87 1/2 @ 89; No. 3, white, 83 1/2 @ 87 1/2.

Wheat—No. 2, \$1.77.

Barley—\$1.50@1.67.

Timothy seed—\$8.50@11.50.

Clover seed—\$30@48.

York—Nominal.

Lard—\$22.90@23.

Ribs—\$18.25@19.

MINNEAPOLIS—Flour unchanged. Barley—\$1.40@1.62.

Oats—No. 2, \$1.72 1/2 @ 1.75 1/2.

Wheat—\$1.75.

Corn—\$1.50@1.62.

Oats—\$1.35@1.50.

Flax—\$5@5.10.

Produce

CHICAGO—Butter lower; creamery \$2.85c. Eggs, lower; receipts, 3,700 cases; first 7c; ordinary firsts, 65@70c; at mark, cases included, 68@75c. Poultry alive, unchanged.

CHICAGO—Potatoes steady; arrival 21 cars; Northern Whites, sacked, \$3; bulk, \$3.15. Jobbing; Red River Ohio, \$3.60; Western Russets \$3.50@3.65.

Finance

NEW YORK—Prices of Liberty bonds at 2:55 p. m. today were: 3 1/2% \$98.98; first 4% \$92.28; second 4% \$91.38; first 4 1/2% \$93.40; second 4 1/2% \$91.58; third 4 1/2% \$93.60; fourth 4 1/2% \$91.64; Victory 4 1/2% \$93.79; Victory 4 1/2% \$98.92.

FIRST AIRPLANE FLIGHT OVER DIXIE AIRIAL HIGHWAY

By the Associated Press.

MIAMI, Fla., Dec. 19.—The first airplanes traversing the Dixie aerial highway from Chicago to Miami, landed tonight. One was driven by E. Harold Threagill of Miami, a civilian flying instructor with Lieut. H. G. Conant as observer, and the other by Lieut. J. W. Weber with Lieut. H. G. Conant as observer. The flights were made in 15 hours and 30 minutes, actual flying time.

SANTAL WINS ANOTHER

By the Associated Press.

BOHBE, Ida., Dec. 18.—Ad Santal, champion "light" heavyweight, and Jess Westcott of Des Moines, former heavyweight champion, wrestled three falls here tonight, with Santal winning two out of the three. Westcott got the first fall in 16 minutes, and Santal the second and third in 39 and 14 minutes. Westcott, at 210 pounds, outweighed Santal by 25 pounds.

MOTHER IS ACCUSED OF MURDERING HER SON

By the Associated Press.

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Dec. 18.—Five-year-old James "Buddy" Blake, whose body was washed ashore at Ventnor last Sunday came to his death at the hands of his mother, while she was laboring under a state of mental derangement, it was learned today from the jury at the coroner's inquest tonight into the boy's death.

AMERICAN LIBRARIES EDUCATE THE REDS

Youthful Radical Declares He Studied Berkman and Goldman Texts From This Source

NEW YORK—Thomas Bukhanob, the 17 year old self-confessed school boy anarchist now on Ellis Island awaiting deportation to Russia, says that he "studied" in radicalism from books obtained at a New York public library. In an interview with a representative of the Associated Press, he stated that a real answer to American institutions rests upon many a free book shelf.

"Some rich men have unwittingly aided the spread of revolutionary doctrines," he said, referring to the millions invested in libraries all over the English speaking world. "I had no trouble in obtaining the radical books I desired, printed in Russian, from the 8th street and Lexington avenue branch of the New York public library."

The youth who, shortly after graduating from a New York public school became the secretary of the Union of Russian Workers' local, an anarchist organization in Brooklyn with a membership of 150, discussed with perfect frankness the causes which had led him to his impending banishment from the United States. The first step he said, had been socialism, a theory favored by some of the teachers in his school. It was not radical, enough, he said, and so he took up anarchy. Bukhanob would prove a study for the psychologist. He is more than ordinarily intelligent and quickwitted. A pair of light blue eyes peer from beneath a shock of very light brown hair and his smile shows a fine set of well kept teeth. Well dressed and supplied with an abundance of cigarettes, he expressed contentment with his lot and hoped he would soon be sent to Kronstadt or Nijni Novgorod, in Russia, where, he said, there were anarchists communities. The necessity of leaving his mother and two sisters, one of whom is a Russian nurse in a hospital, and none of whom share his views, caused him few regrets, he said, because "one must be willing to sacrifice himself for a cause."

The prisoner came to the United States from Volynia, in the Ukraine, or "Little Russia," with his mother in 1912, when ten-years old. His father, a Russian nurse, he said, for five years he attended a New York public school, graduating in 1917. He had been taught the usual branches, including a knowledge of the United States constitution. He said he had no use for governments of any kind because they were all "alienated." Upon leaving school Bukhanob obtained employment at what he said was fair wages. His home life, he declared, was happy.

"I was working in a machine shop for \$21.00 a week and would have received a good raise," said Bukhanob, laughingly, as he discussed his sorry plight. The boy's manner was earnest, almost eager, to answer questions. His parents, he said, had been members of the Greek Catholic church but he had never been very religious. He could not understand, he said, if there was a God why there was so much evil in the world.

"I slept last night," he went on, "with a lot of murderers and robbers, but I am able to take care of myself." Here Bukhanob recounted with some evidence of pride an experience he

had had when he was chief instructor in school. Five or six boys attacked him. "I knocked out two of them," he boasted, "and the other beat me." Bukhanob said few of the boys and girls in "school" entertained the views he did. Most of them preferred to spend their leisure time at the movies. He went to read history, philosophy, sociology and economics.

"My first book of this kind was one by Tolstoy, a mild, good man, but a dreamer. He offered an addition except Christianity and that I do not accept. Then I read, at other times, Kropotkin's 'Bread and Freedom,' Bakunin's 'God and the State,' Novinsky's 'What is Anarchism?' Alexander Berkman's 'Prison Memoirs of an Anarchist,' and Max Stirner's 'The Individual and His Property.' They gave me my first desire to help emancipate the working class by educating it to realize its own interests. I also read the works of an Italian anarchist as well as Emma Goldman's 'Mother Earth.'

The boy said he had no sympathy for Bolshevism because it represented a form of government or authority for both of which he professed contempt. He admitted, however, that a few weeks ago he had participated in a parade of Russian radicals up Fifth avenue which was broken up by the police and a scene of wild disorder. The parade either refused to take out or did not possess a necessary permit.

When told that statistics showed that more than 183,000,000 Russians could neither read nor write, Bukhanob said he wanted to go back to Russia just the same "to help them." He said he had no use for any government even though it protected his life and property; embold him to earn a good living and to dwell in peace and comfort.

He said a police or fire department or street cleaning system, water works or lighting system or any other public service would be acceptable to him if they did not involve the exercise of "authority." And yet Bukhanob was reported to have been an orderly boy in school.

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ATTEMPT MADE UPON LIFE OF IRISH VICEROY

Ambuscade Fails, Resulting in Death of One of the Attacking Party.

IS CULMINATION OF THE GROWING UNREST

All England Stirred by Attack—Most Serious Since Killing of Sir Cavendish in 1886.

By the Associated Press.
DUBLIN, Dec. 19.—A determined but unsuccessful attempt was made today to assassinate Viscount French, lord lieutenant of Ireland.

The attack evidently had been most carefully organized at a spot in a narrow, winding road with high walls and hedges, affording the assassins good hiding places. One of the attacking party was killed and a detective seated with the chauffeur of the viceregal car was slightly wounded in the hand. Viscount French was not injured. Some distance away a policeman patrolling his beat was shot in the ankle.

One Assassin Shot.

Both bombs and revolvers were used by the assassins, the number of whom is variously estimated at from five to 15. The smaller number, however, is considered more probable. The viceregal party fired on the assassins as they fled across the fields, but all escaped except the one man killed, who was shot through the head.

The ambuscade had been carefully planned, the assassins placing obstructions in the narrow part of the road, hoping to compel the motor cars in which the viceregal party was traveling to stop. Behind the hedges and walls, in favorable positions, they had stationed themselves for firing upon the lord lieutenant and his party.

Bombs Are Thrown.

When the automobiles approached the road, the first bomb was thrown. The assassin, evidently expected Viscount French, would be in the second car in the line, and at it most of the shots were aimed. He, however, was in the first car, into which only a few bullets penetrated. A shot, however, directed at the first car, struck the detective who was sitting beside the driver in the hand. Almost immediately the viceregal party opened fire on the ambuscaded men, who took flight on bicycles across the field. During this shooting one of the men, later identified as having fired directly at Viscount French's car, was seen to throw up his hands and fall. Several of his friends stopped and the body intended to carry it away, but they abandoned it when they found the man was dead.

Around the finger of the fallen man was found the ring of a discharged hand gunner, and in his pockets were two revolvers—one of Spanish make and the other an old German model. Also there was found in his pocket a book which identifies him as Savage, the clerk of a spirit and grocery dealer, employed at North Strand, Dublin.

From this book it was ascertained that he had deposited a sum of money early in the day to a house in his neighborhood. The police have through the identification to track the man's associates.

Police Officer Shot.

During the shooting a police constable patrolling the neighborhood on a bicycle was shot in the ankle. The officer had about half a mile to go, but after this time the firing from both sides was quiet.

Viscount French proceeded indignantly to the viceregal lodge where he had luncheon as usual. The police constable and sergeant, the roads and fields in the neighborhood of the viceregal lodge, were found, some ambuscaded land, and in the vicinity, Viscount French received numerous telegrams "giving the day" congratulating those who were successful in King George and Premier Lloyd George.

That the attack on Viscount French had been carefully and coolly planned is indicated by the fact that his residence was not reached at a public house near the scene of the shooting, while awaiting the viceregal arrival. Further evidence of this is conveyed by the fact that the assassins flung a cart across the road at the scene of the ambuscade which stopped the viceregal procession of four cars.

bullet, similar to those used in the war, were found in the road.

Late tonight the police said that there might have been 30 men engaged in the attack, deployed at intervals of more than 200 yards. One sniper, with a revolver, fired from an ivy covered tree.

The viceregal had with him only four armed policemen. These men had orders not to leave the viceregal, no matter what happened. Accordingly, they were unable to pursue the attacking party.

BRITISH ARE AROUSED

LONDON, Dec. 19.—So event in Ireland of its kind since the killing of Lord Frederick Cavendish, chief secretary for Ireland, and Thomas H. Burke, his under secretary, in 1882, has so stirred England as the attempt made to assassinate French—lord lieutenant of Ireland.

This was the first attempt on the life of a viceregal since 1886, the year when Gladstone introduced the home rule for Ireland bill.

Such a culmination of the Irish unrest was not unexpected. Fourteen policemen and several soldiers have been killed in the last few months and no one has been arrested or punished for these acts, although it is declared there were many eyewitnesses to them.

French Always Careful.

Viscount French, owing to the certainty of conditions, always has taken precautions against attack. He is one of the few viceregal of recent years who is credited with personally ruling instead of depending on officials for police. He always substantially has announced that his policy was first to restore and maintain in law and order and then to inaugurate home rule.

The viceregal was from Viscount French at a period of comparatively quiet in Ireland, in recognition of his military service and as consolation for his withdrawal from the highest army command—that of head of the British forces in France and Belgium.

Since his advent Irish politics have come under the domination of Sir John P. The fact that the viceregal is a military officer and that there is military occupation are the principal grievances. All policemen and other officials who aid in the support of British rule have been proclaimed throughout southern Ireland as enemies of the country and the people are forbidden to associate with or speak to them. Parades ordering this boycott have been posted. Generally, they have not been signed.

One result of the campaign against policemen has been that the small stations of the royal constabulary in the country districts were closed. The police from these have been concentrated in larger barracks which are virtually fortified places. In Dublin and other cities, the police go on their beats in two and three for mutual protection.

GASOLINE EXPLODES; MAN IS CREMATED

Ellis Hale Is Victim of Accident—Survived by Wife and Four Children.

Ellis Hale, aged 55, passed away yesterday afternoon from burns which he received when a can of gasoline exploded enveloping him in flames.

The explosion occurred when Mr. Hale poured the gasoline, which he apparently mistook for kerosene, into hot coals in the kitchen range. After starting the fire in the range to get the morning meal, returned to get some of the kerosene to use for the second time to cook breakfast. On rising the second time he failed to have the coals covered that the fire was practically out. He then poured the gasoline into the dead coals when suddenly there was an explosion. The man's clothing was afire immediately. He fell into the bed-room where the fire was communicated to other chairs. His wife ran out the blaze in the man's clothing by use of a comforter, but he had been so badly burned that he passed away shortly after being taken to the hospital.

WHITE AUTO COMPANY IS ROBBED OF CASH

Sometime Wednesday night or Thursday morning burglars entered the office of the White Auto company and stole \$1,000 in cash, in thrift stamps and a computer dollar.

Entrance was gained through the rear of the building and the roll top lock was pried open and its contents ransacked. The money was secured from the safe, which was unlocked that night.

TRUCK PLUNGES FROM PIER; SOLDIER IS DEAD

By the Associated Press.
ANCON, Panama (Canal Zone), Dec. 19.—A five-ton truck carrying four soldiers plunged off a pier at Ancon today into fifty feet of water. Private Charles E. Lee of Oklahoma was drowned.

BERGER REELECTED AS CONGRESSMAN

His Majority of Nearly 3,000—Victory Over Fusion Candidate in Wisconsin District.

By the Associated Press.
MILWAUKEE, Wis., Dec. 19.—Victor L. Berger, socialist, today was re-elected to congress from the fifth Wisconsin district, having defeated Henry H. Dallingger, republican, running as a fusion candidate, by 4,806.

Berger's total vote was 24,367 and Dallingger's 19,561. The returns indicate that approximately 3,000 votes did not register to the polls. The total registration in the district was about 53,000.

Should the house of representatives again refuse to seat Berger, there will be a vacant chair as far as the fifth Wisconsin district is concerned until the regular election in 1920, as Governor E. L. Hillip announced tonight he would not call another special election.

"I do not believe in spending any more of the people's money in that way," he declared.

BERGER POINTS OUT THE SOCIALIST PARTY'S POSITION

"While my election may undoubtedly be characterized as nothing short of a revolutionary act in view of opposition by the entire capitalist class, not only of Milwaukee and Wisconsin, but of the country—yet it cannot exactly be called a victory for the socialist party.

"The socialist party simply took the lead and furnished the advance guard and foremost champions.

"As a matter of fact, my re-election is simply the first sign of the awakening of genuine democracy in this country, since the days of the struggle for the emancipation of the black race.

"I don't know whether the house will seat me, but I care little. If only the continued fight for my seat will furnish the occasion to awaken the common people of the United States, especially the working class, to a realization of the great dangers before us and the immense duties we must fulfill if modern civilization is to progress or even survive.

"But as to the voters of the fifth district, I can only say: 'Well done. The eyes of the world are upon you. You have vindicated one of the basic principles of modern democracy—representative government.'

Henry H. Dallingger, republican, fusion candidate, whom Berger defeated, said:

"I am indeed grateful to my many supporters. We put up the best fight we know how for a worthy cause and I feel that the majority of the voters of the fifth district have been misled by a false propaganda. I am ready to continue in the fight to rid the community of these foreign agitators and Bolshevik adherents and I call upon the good loyal people of Milwaukee to remain steadfast in their faith, in their country and its institutions."

CONGRESS TO MARK TIME

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—No move to dispute for the second time the right of Victor L. Berger, re-elected to the house of representatives, to a seat, is expected until he presents himself to be sworn in as a member, Representative Dallinger, Massachusetts, chairman of the election committee, said tonight.

"I shall then object as I did the previous time," Mr. Dallinger said.

The house may take action on a resolution today to deny Berger a seat without the formality of referring the matter to the elections committee, or reopening hearings in the case again, Mr. Dallinger explained.

"The issue of the case, he said, 'are exactly the same as they were before and will ever be. Berger, the committee decided, 'was aid and comfort to the enemy' and any one so judged is barred from membership in the house under provisions of the constitution. His ineligibility is just as great as when he first presented himself. The house, by a decisive vote, supported the resolution of its committee denying him a seat and action will be taken the second time."

"The resolution denying Berger a seat passed the house on November 10 by a vote of 211 to 1. Representative Gold, republican, Wisconsin, voting in the negative.

This was the culmination of a series of hearings covering more than five months and during which time all alleged violations of the espionage act attributed to Berger, his radical activities and his career as a socialist leader were reviewed. The testimony covered several thousand pages. During the hearings Berger, although not admitted to the floor of the house until he spoke in his own behalf, enjoyed all the other privileges of a member, drawing his salary, his clerk hire, and having use of the franking privilege.

The committee report suggesting that Berger be denied his seat was unanimous. Representative Henderson, republican, Illinois, in a minority report, requested delay by the house until Berger's appeal from the court sentence of 20 years in Leavenworth prison was decided.

TERMED SOCIALIST TRIUMPH

CHICAGO, Dec. 19.—Victor Berger's re-election to congress was

termed a triumph in a statement tonight from national headquarters of the socialist party which declared as a result of the election "congress is on a \$3,780 water bill.

The senate's officers refuse to pay the bill, contending that it is a violation of the constitution. It is free from taxation, the statement said, and a challenge to those reactionary agents of capitalism who would stifle the voice of the working class protest and who would muzzle minority opinions.

WOULD RESTRAIN N. Y. CITY FROM COLLECTING TAX

By the Associated Press.
NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—John Thibault, chairman, in a ten-round bout today of the Protestant Episcopal church, a head to head collision in the third round applied to the supreme court to

restrain the city of New York from selling part of its property, sale of the socialist party which declared as a result of the election "congress is on a \$3,780 water bill.

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MASON WHIPS ERTLE

By the Associated Press.
MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Dec. 19.—Frankie Mason of Port Wayne decisively outboxed Mike Ertle, the St. Paul bantam, in a ten-round bout today. Ertle's eye was badly cut in a head to head collision in the third round.

BOB MARTIN CONTINUES TO KNOCK THEM COLD


By the Associated Press.
ATTLE CREEK, Mich., Dec. 19.—Bob Martin, heavyweight champion of the American expeditionary forces, scored a technical knockout over Bill Breenahan of Camp Cluster in the first round at Camp Cluster today. Breenahan failed to come out of his corner for the second round.

ED SWEENEY SOLD

SEATTLE, Dec. 19.—Ed Sweeney, catcher with the Seattle club of the Pacific coast league last year, has been sold to the Kansas City club of the American association. It was announced today. The consideration was given as \$1,000.

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