

"Carrying War to England"



This is the first photograph to reach America of the great warehouse fires in Liverpool, England, which the British say were a part of Sinn Féin's policy of "carrying the war to England." Incendiaries working in the cause of Sinn Féin started the blaze, according to the British. Quantities of oil saturated waste was found.

ALBANIA NOW NEW MEMBER OF ASSEMBLY

Election of 48th State to
League is Surprise to
Nations

WOULD INTERVENE
TO HELP ARMENIA

Rumania Proposes Force of
Troops Be Used to
Assist Stricken
Country

GENEVA, Dec. 17.—The forty-eighth member of the league of nations—Albania—was elected today with surprising unanimity. And no one was more surprised than Albania herself to find that she would be represented on the floor of the assembly at the closing session tomorrow. The committee on admission of new states had reported unfavorably and all hope of Albania's election had been abandoned.

Lord Leads Fight
Lord Robert Cecil, representing Great Britain, led the fight for the admission of Albania this morning on the floor of the assembly. To the surprise of all, the French and British delegations abandoned their opposition and Albania was elected.

The perpetual question of Armenia came up again this afternoon in the form of a proposition by the Rumanian government to participate in international military intervention. The Rumanian delegation said he had thrice from his government to propose that a force of 50,000 men be organized by the powers to intervene in Armenia, and that the Rumanian government would furnish the quota. "If he assembled decided to refer the affair to the assembly committee which is considering the Armenian question. Will Not Press Question."

The Japanese delegation made the statement that it would not press the matter with reference to mandated territories in order to permit acceptance of the "C" mandate as presented by the powers to the league council. This removes one of the obstacles to the completion of the report of the committee on mandates.

It was expected the mandate question would come up today, but consideration of budgets offered took most of the entire session so that the mandate were left over until tomorrow.

TOMULLEY DECLINES CUSTOMS APPOINTMENT

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—Joseph P. Tomulley, secretary to President Wilson, announced today that he had declined the appointment as chief justice of the court of customs appeal, which had been offered him by the president and that he would begin the practice of law in Washington after March 4.

COUNCIL APPROVES DRAFT OF MANDATES

GENEVA, Dec. 17.—The council of the league of nations this afternoon officially approved the draft of the mandates for the former German colonies submitted to it by the committee on mandates. The mandates for New Zealand, Australia, England, the Union of South Africa and Japan. The island of Samoa was officially allotted to New Zealand, New Guinea and other islands south of the equator were allotted to Australia and New Zealand. The island of the Pacific in the south of the equator and just within the old German sphere of influence, to England. German Southwest Africa was allotted to the Union of South Africa and the Pacific Islands north of the equator were given to Japan.

BOARD ENDORSES MEASURES AIDING NATION'S FARMERS

Conference of National Board of
Farm Organizations Approves
Reconstruction Plans

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Dec. 17.—Reconstruction measures for the farming industry which include federal regulation and supervision of all stockyards and financial assistance from the government were endorsed today at the conference of agricultural representatives held by the National Board of Farm Organizations.

The conference advocated also that all livestock commission firms doing business on a commission basis at terminal markets be placed under a federal license system, and recommended legislation to legalize collective buying and selling by cooperative organizations.

In this connection, it was recommended that cooperative livestock commission firms be established wherever there is sufficient business to justify their existence.

PROPOSE BOND ISSUE TO HANDLE U. S. DEBT

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—Fiction of a bond issue into which would be refunded practically the entire bonded indebtedness of the American government, was proposed to the ways and means committee today by Jules W. Baehre, a New York banker, as a means of equalizing the burden of taxation resulting from the war.

FINANCIAL WEEKLY SAYS BUSINESS IS BETTER

NEW YORK, Dec. 17.—Dun's tomorrow will say:
The signs of betterment in business, if outnumbered by the unsatisfactory features, are becoming more distinct. A change is seen in certain primary little branches, where the movement is fewer and some buyers in the leather trade are showing renewed interest. Whether the indications of improvement work make a definite turning point in the line affected is not clear at the moment, but the leather trade is showing renewed interest. That a solid basis for recovery exists in a comparison strengthened by the week's crop estimates, disclosing unusually abundant harvests and the powerful bank reserves and better transportation facilities are important constructive factors. Weekly bank clearings \$7,896,156,431.

OFFICIAL FIGURES GIVEN OF CENSUS OF UNITED STATES

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—Population of the United States on January 1st this year as enumerated in the 14th census was 105,708,771 as announced today by the census bureau for certification to congress as the basis for reapportionment of the members of the house of representatives from the various states.

These are the final population figures of the country, and states, the statistics announced early in October having been the preliminary compilation. According to the statistics, the population of the state of Idaho is 431,858. Other western states for which figures are given include California, 3,426,861; Colorado, 339,629; Montana, 548,889; Nevada, 77,467; Oregon, 733,289; Utah, 449,288; Washington, 1,356,621 and Wyoming 194,402.

USE GUARDSMEN TO QUELL RIOT IN KANSAS TOWN

State Aid Promised to Take Charge
of Serious Situation Arising
Over Killing.

INDEPENDENCE, Kansas, Dec. 17.—Kansas national guardsmen were reported on their way to this little city tonight to take charge of the situation growing out of last night's riot which resulted in the killing of two persons and the wounding of five others.

Following a day of apprehension over the possibility of further trouble should an attempt be made tonight to lynch Noble Green, a negro, accused of the shooting of R. R. Wharton, a white grocer, Mayor John L. Wadman announced he had promised two companies of guardsmen would be sent here from Wichita early tomorrow. It was the killing of Wharton and the subsequent arrest of Green by a posse that brought the riotous feeling to a climax and precipitated last night's disorders.

A tense situation prevailed tonight with the town under patrol by more than 300 armed home guardsmen, American Legion members, and citizens, sworn in as deputy sheriffs. All persons without special permits were ordered off the streets after six p.m. by permission of the mayor. Business houses, dance halls and theaters were closed and public gatherings forbidden.

PRODUCTION INCREASES

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—A new record was made in the production and transportation of bituminous coal during the week ending December 11, the American Railway association announced today. Production for the week was estimated at 13,289,000 tons, which is 26,000 tons more than was produced the week before.

TO PRESENT BILL TO REAPPORTION HOUSE MEMBERSHIP

Twenty-Five States Will Gain Members in Law Making Body by Increased Census Report

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—Republican members of the house at a caucus tonight decided to put through at this session of congress a bill reappportioning the membership of the house to correspond with increases in population as reported in the 1920 census.

The definite basis for the reapportionment was understood not to have been decided at the caucus but most of the republican members were said to favor a reasonable increase in the house membership.

Drafting of a reapportionment bill would be in the hands of the census committee of which Representative Sigel, of New York, is chairman. Mr. Sigel already has prepared and introduced a bill increasing the house membership from the present 435 to 482, and this bill is expected to be the basis for the reapportionment legislation.

SEEK COMPULSORY GRADING OF SPUDS

SPOKANE, Wash., Dec. 17.—Legislation for compulsory potato grading to standardize the product and eliminate numerous varieties at present used in marketing is asked of the Washington and Oregon legislatures in resolutions brought up before the Northwest potato conference, meeting here.

State universities and colleges of Washington and Oregon legislatures Montana are asked in a resolution to extend their courses in vegetable growing.

MCCARTHY REFUSES JOB

SACRAMENTO, Cal., Dec. 17.—Because of what he termed a movement to "oust" him from the presidency of the Pacific coast league, W. H. McCarthy of San Francisco today twice refused re-election to that office. The second tender was made after the salary of the post had been increased to \$10,000, double its former figure.

FERRY WORKERS GIVE NOTICE OF STRIKE

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 17.—Organized workers on San Francisco bay ferries announced today they will quit work tomorrow night at 11 o'clock as a result of a denial of their demands for a wage increase. The ferries carry approximately 10,000 passengers daily, most of them commuters between San Francisco and other bay cities.

BUSINESS SECTION OF DUBLIN RAIDED

BY POLICE FORCES

DUBLIN, Dec. 17.—The entire business section of Dublin was raided by the police this evening following the shooting of district inspector O'Sullivan of Dublin castle. The inspector was passing a fancy fair in Henry street, accompanied by a Miss Moore to whom he was engaged to be married.

Inspector O'Sullivan died in a hospital an hour after the shooting. He was fired upon by two masked civilians.

MONASTERY IS RAIDED BY POLICE IN DUBLIN

DUBLIN, Dec. 17.—Two monasteries were raided by the military and police in Dublin this morning. The first raid was on the monastery of the fathers of the Holy Spirit, one of them Father Dominic, who was chaplain to the late Terence MacSwiney. The other priest was released, but Father Dominic was held.

Father Dominic had been staying at the Franciscan convent in Dublin. The priest who was arrested and subsequently released was Father Albert, who attended Kevin Barry, a medical student, previous to his execution at Mountjoy prison in November for his part in a strike on a military report last autumn.

The caretaker of Father Martin Hall also was arrested.

WOOL GROWERS MEET IN UTAH IN JANUARY

SALT LAKE CITY, Dec. 17.—The fifty-sixth annual convention of the National Wool Growers' association will be held in Salt Lake January 17, 18 and 19 according to announcement made today by P. B. Marshall, secretary of the association.

Governor W. P. G. Harding, of the federal reserve board, Washington, D. C., has accepted an invitation to address the convention on financial matters including relations of the federal reserve system. Senator-elect Stanford of Oregon and Senator-elect Frank R. Gooding of Idaho, Thomas Walker Page, chairman of the tariff committee, also are among the speakers.

BANKER FALLS TO DEATH IN NEW YORK

NEW YORK, Dec. 17.—Edward V. Gumbler, former president of the Atlantic national bank of the City of New York, today fell or jumped from his office on the tenth floor of the bank building at 255 Broadway, and was instantly killed.

At the open window of his office police found a chair on which rested a camera, which led them to believe that he may possibly have been taking a time exposure of the lighter buildings on lower Broadway when he fell. On the long plunge to the street the body struck and broke a flag pole at the third floor.

MOTHERS TO ORGANIZE TO PREVENT FUTURE WAR

INDIANAPOLIS, Dec. 17.—An international league of mothers to prevent war for all time, is the goal of the National American War Mothers, as announced here tonight by Alice M. French, president of the organization, who today announced a plan whereby 500 or more war mothers will voyage on a special ship to visit to the battle fields of the world war and the cemeteries where lie American war dead.

"It is to enlist the efforts of the brilliant women of the world and particularly the mothers who suffered through the war, to perfect a league which will continue peace forever," Mrs. French said today.

"We figure that as long as we lead the affairs of the world we will have war, for they will fight, but we mothers will agree on peace."

Mrs. French said that between now and the first week in June, the mothers' ship is scheduled to sail for Europe, efforts will be expended looking towards the calling of a congress. That the mothers of German soldiers in the war would be invited to attend and speak probably is to be held in France is the plan of Mrs. French and her associates, she said.

THEMANN GETS SHADE

CLEVELAND, Ohio, Dec. 17.—Carl Theumann of Cleveland, shaded Joe Burman of Chicago in a tight round bout tonight by a whitewash finish in the final round. Up to that time each had taken three rounds with the other even. They are bantamweights.

PLAN TARIFF ON IMPORTS OF PRODUCE

Congressional Leaders Have
Program of Aid For
Farmers

REACH AGREEMENT AT
JOINT CONFERENCE

Emergency Tariff Will Run
For One Year and Act
as Importations
Embargo

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—Congressional leaders decided today that the way out of the maze of farmer relief bills was enactment of an emergency tariff to run for one year and to act as an embargo against imports of cotton, wool, beans, potatoes, livestock and meats.

Held Joint Conference

Agreement of the legislative leaders was reached at a joint conference of members of the senate finance and house ways and means committees at which the determination also was reached to press the proposed measure to speedy passage. Actual drafting of the bill was started late in the day by members of the ways and means committee.

Much discussion was evoked in the conference relative to a choice between a flat embargo and a high tariff but the house leaders held out against the enactment of a ban on imports in peace time, urging that the age-old custom of no embargo except in time of war be forwarded. Senate members of the conference declared that an embargo measure could be put through their branch of congress more easily than a high tariff bill but they finally assured the house conferees that they would use all of their influence to push the measure through as soon as it was received from the house.

Subjects Not Discussed
The subject of the rates to be embodied in the tariff measure was not directly taken up in the conference. Members of the house committee which will draft the bill were informed that the rates would be left entirely to them and that whatever they were able to have passed by the house the senate conferees would try to get into the bill. Explanation was made that the reason the conference delayed no decision on rates was that such a discussion might have required in a breach and the destruction of the whole program.

The suggestion was understood to have been made by democratic members of the conference that they seek an expression of views of the president with respect to the relief tariff. Republicans, however, strongly opposed such a move, the contention being made that it would not be known whether the bill could be passed until the final roll call and further that the measure might not go to the president in the form now proposed.

Seek Early Passage

A tentative bill by Representatives Greene, republican, Iowa, has been drafted and accepted as the basis for the measure for which early passage will be sought. The ways and means committee probably will take it up early next week although several members began work on it immediately.

Six senators and five representatives attended today's conference. They were Senators McCumber, North Dakota; Smoot, Utah; Curtis, Kansas, and Watson, Indiana, republicans; and Nugent, Idaho, democrats, and Representatives Fordney, Michigan, chairman of the committee on agriculture; Lammie, Iowa, republican; and Rainey, Illinois, and Garner, Texas, democrats. House members said tonight they were approximately 250 bills before various committees at their end of the session, and that they had no intention to do anything but give relief to the farmer in some form or other.

Doings of them very little in form.

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CONGRESSMEN IN CONFERENCE WITH LABOR LEADERS

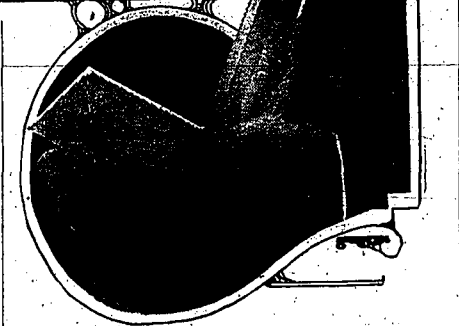
Held Meetings to Achieve "Better Coordination with Liberal Forces" in House and Senate

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—A series of conferences attended by several senators, representatives and labor leaders was begun today for the announced purpose of achieving "a better coordination of the liberal forces of the country with their representatives in the house and senate."

Senator LaFollette, republican of Wisconsin, was understood to have figured largely in initiating the conference as an immediate result of the senate's passage yesterday of the Polindexter anti-strike bill while its foes were "off watch."

Plans for fighting the Polindexter bill when Senator LaFollette's motion for reconsideration of the senate vote comes up and formation of a "bureau of legislative information" to watch the interests of the labor movement were said to have been the subjects broached at today's conference. The conference's it was announced, are to continue to several

Back in the United States, After a "Fine Rest"



NEWPORT NEWS, Va.—There was the hush and the roar of mighty steam whistles and the sudden hum of airplane and dirigible engines when the good ship Pastors passed Old Point Comfort carrying President-elect Warren G. Harding and his vacation party home from their jaunt. The picture shows the Pastors as she appeared with a fleet of circling aircraft including the Dirigible A-4, and President-elect Harding at Newport News, after the docking of the Pastors.

days in an effort to determine a definite course of action. No specific legislative program however, was said to be contemplated.

Names of those participating in today's meeting were withheld temporarily, but among those reported in attendance in addition to Senator LaFollette, were Senators France, republican of Maryland, Walsh, democrat of Massachusetts, and Representatives Freer, republican of Wisconsin, and others of the house "labor group." Others participating, it was announced were "head of the railroad labor organizations and leaders of other progressive organizations."

A statement given out by William H. Johnston, president of the International Association of Machinists, through Senator LaFollette's office, said that the conference "viewed out of the fact that leaders of the railroad labor organizations were meeting at this time in Washington to discuss various problems and the time was thought to be opportune for a general discussion of the entire legislative situation."

"In the course of the discussion," Mr. Johnston's statement continued, "suggestions were made by several of those present that a bureau of legislative information be established to act with the liberal members of the house and senate. This suggestion was emphasized by the passage of the Polindexter bill prohibiting strikes in the interstate commerce, because opponents of the measure had not been properly warned that it was to be taken up by the senate."

UNION PACIFIC WILL LOWER FREIGHT RATES

QUINCY, Neb., Dec. 17.—Reductions from \$15 to \$10 per ton on hay and alfalfa meal freight rates from Idaho points east to the Missouri river will be put into effect almost immediately after authority for such action is received from the interstate commerce commission. It was stated today at the office of the general freight agent of the Union Pacific. Permission of the commission to publish the reduced rates on one day's notice has been asked. It was said, but no reply has as yet been received.

The fall rate plan, to have the reduced rates remain in effect until next April 30, Idaho interests having declared it impossible to move hay and alfalfa meal at present rates.

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Mrs. E. A. Landon and daughter, Ellen, left last evening for Los Angeles, Cal., for an extended visit at the home of Mrs. Landon's sister.

MAKE CHARGES AT MEETING OF WAR MOTHERS

Mrs. T. O. Boyd Declares Brother-in-Law of County Commissioner is Charge on County

In a meeting of the War Mothers yesterday afternoon, Mrs. T. O. Boyd made the direct charge, that a brother-in-law of President Moore, of the board of county commissioners, is a financial charge upon the county; that the county commissioners have for years so helped this relative of the president of the board, notwithstanding the fact that Mr. Moore is a man of wealth and fully able to bear this burden himself.

The charge created no end of a sensation in the meeting. It came in a general discussion of the abuse of the charities of the community. Mrs. Boyd maintained that abuse of charity could be forgiven poor folk, but that in high places it was unforgivable.

The meeting opened with a short business session with Mrs. C. C. Higgins in the chair. After the business meeting Judge Hodges gave an interesting talk on "Reconstruction."

Miss Florence O'Neill gave two vocal selections, "The Swallow" and "The Irish Love Song." Mrs. Fred Beck with gave a piano solo, "Lullaby." Refreshments were served at the close of the meeting by the Mesdames J. A. Ball, L. F. Jones, Mrs. E. N. Day and Mrs. Putnam.

ALLOW WRIT OF ERROR IN CASE OF MURDERERS

LINCOLN, Neb., Dec. 17.—Developments in a last hour fight to save the lives of Alton B. Cole and Allen V. J. Givens, convicted Howard County murderers, culminated today in the allowance of a writ of error after by the state supreme court. The writ of error petition was filed by Cole's attorney, J. M. Priest. Hearing of the case was set for 10 o'clock tomorrow morning.

Mason Wheeler, representing the state.

While the court action today does not directly concern Grammer, it has been the policy of the officials to reprieve one when the other's case was involved in court.

Cole and Grammer were first sentenced for the murder of Grammer's mother-in-law more than three years ago. Court action has brought them more than a dozen reprieves.

HOTELS IN BERLIN STOP SERVING MEALS TO GUESTS

BERLIN, Dec. 16.—The guests of Berlin hotels today searched the streets for restaurants which were still supplying food or else they bought tinned meats and fruits and munched cold lunches in their rooms.

Every important hotel in Berlin closed serving food, this afternoon as well as a majority of the larger restaurants.

The proprietors are seeking to force the government to abandon its policy of raids and arrests for violations of the bread, butter and sugar rationing regulations, which for a year and a half generally have not been observed. These articles tonight had disappeared from every small canteen that was still operating.

OPERA STAR SAYS ISLAND GRUB IS POOR

CHICAGO.—Page D. T. Magowan, restaurant keeper at Ellis Island, says, Mr. Magowan, did you hear what Georges Baklanoff said about your 17-cent dining room? Oh, awful! You remember Baklanoff—don't you—the Russian baritone whom you had as an involuntary guest down at Ellis Island when the immigration authorities detained him because of that deportation warrant Uncle Sam served on him last winter for cutting up with Mrs. Amazar, the soprano? He has just been readmitted to the country for three months only so he can sing for the Chicago Opera company.

That Dining Room.

Well, Mr. Magowan, you should have heard how Georges went on about those 17-cent meals of yours, when he landed in Chicago the other day.

"It was a nightmare," he said. "Horrible! I have never had such an experience in my life. For 24 hours not one morsel of food passed my lips. I would have starved had it not been for friends who sent me baskets of fruit."

consideration that Georges was also peevish because the very morning he got to Chicago the newspaper printed a very indignant letter from Dr. Herbert L. Willett, president of the Chicago Church federation, to Open Director Herbert Johnson digging up the story about Miss Amazar and the Mann and charge and protesting against Georges singing here again.

That also got a shrug from the Baklanoff shoulders and the caustic remark: "If the church people do not like the opera, why do they say I am not a clergyman?"

To which Ricardo Martin, the American tenor, added: "The American people have gone stark, staring crazy on 'witch hunting,' 'hoosh divining,' 'cavedropping'—and all sorts of unmanly lams, with particular reference to fanaticism and busybodyism!"

That, of course, is all beside the point—which is that Georges wonders

If you would be kind as to give him a private dining room, when his three months are up, so he can really give your famous 17-cent meals a fair trial on his way back.

BIG BEAR KILLED

BUTTE, Mont.—A brown bear, weighing 450 pounds, was killed two miles east of Butte recently by Jake Pincus, local butcher. Meat from the animal, which was shot within a few feet of a well traveled highway, was sold by Pincus in his shop.

KILLS TIMBER WOLVES

CUTBANK, Mont.—Otto Hintz, a rancher of the Headlight district, cleared one thousand dollars recently when he took a day off hunting. He bagged eight timber wolves, which bring a bounty from the state of \$115 each.

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WEST END FARMERS ENDORSE POLICY OF CANAL BOARD

Command Action of Canal Company
Directors in Raising Levy to
Three Dollars Per Acre.

Resolutions endorsing the policy suggested by the board of directors of Twin Falls Canal Company in levying \$3 per acre for the past year on all lands served by the concern were passed at a meeting of the West End Farmers' association held at Castro, Id., recently. That meeting was a full attendance at the meeting and this resolution was put through without a dissenting voice.

The resolution states that the association realizes the fact that a \$3 per acre levy for maintenance during the year 1921 will be exceedingly burdensome to the stockholders, and that the balance of \$250,000 appearing on the books of the concern as accounts receivable must also be taken into consideration. It is further declared that the utmost economy in the administration of the affairs of the company is necessary, stating that the actual cost of operating and maintaining the company during the past year amounted to \$2 per acre. The action of the board of directors is said to have been taken in order to reduce the current and bonded debt of the corporation, which has materially done.

Several recommendations were also contained in the resolution, including one that the levy of \$1 per acre payable on March 1, be levied as maintenance and that every effort be made to collect all past due accounts, without regard to their nature. It is also provided in the resolution that should \$1 per acre plus the amount collected on past due accounts prove insufficient for operating the Canal company, "any system during 1921; a special assessment be levied in any such amount as may prove necessary."

MOUNTED POLICE HALT RUSH TO OIL "YUKON"

VANCOUVER, B. C.—A squadron of Northwest Mounted Police, full-clad and patrolling on snow shoes, is holding back frenzied oil prospectors at Fort Murray, to prevent them from risking their lives on the 1,000-mile trail to the fabulous fields opened up at Fort Norman by the Imperial Oil company.

A repetition of the Yukon gold rush, in which many lives were sacrificed, is feared by the mounted police and by officials of the Hudson Bay Co.,

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Also Comedy and
Pathe News

Czech Girls Revive Gay Old National Costumes



By J. H. DUCKWORTH.

PRAGUE.—Girls in Prague are reviving against the tyranny of silk stockings, knee-high skirts and gossamer-like shirtwaists.

Encouraged by an organization of patriotic men and women, they are reviving the richly-embroidered and brilliant-hued national costume of the Czechoslovakia, one of the handsomest and most becoming, by the way, in Europe.

As citizens of a new republic—Czechoslovakia—they don't see why they should be in bondage to anything, let alone to the man dressmakers of Paris.

Already the smartest young women of Prague are appearing in the national dress at the opera or at the equally fashionable Viennese theater. The windows of the photographic studios on Vackovic Namestí are full of pictures of society girls in the costume.

Prices \$18 to \$35.

Until the present revival, the national costume had completely disappeared and Northern Trading Co., Ltd., whose trading posts are the only white settlements along the Peace and Mackenzie rivers leading to the rich oil strike.

Food Is Short.

Last winter concluded a period of such prosperity for the Indian tribes that they have neglected to accumulate the usual store of winter food and famine certainly would attend any influx of fortune hunters.

The Fort Norman gusher not only taps what is believed to be vast reservoirs of oil, but the product is of higher grade than any hitherto discovered in Canada. There are about 20 whites at the scene of the strike, and claims have been staked for 15 miles up and down stream from the big find.

Prepare for Rush.

The break up of ice, late in the spring, will leave a waterway between the rail terminus and the oil field, which is less than 100 miles south of the arctic circle. Boat building is being rushed, despite deep snow and bitter cold.

Captain C. Smith of Lamson-Hibbard steamer, Lady Mackworth, passed through here on his way south with the latest report on the sensational strike of the Imperial company.

"From the new field to the railroad there is a continuous water route in

pearled in Bohemia and in the industrial parts of Moravia, in favor of "Latin styles." Only the people of Slovakia and the peasants in Moravia stick to it.

At one big store on Priklap street, the Fifth avenue of Prague, there is displayed some 5,000 of these costumes, ranging in price from \$18 to \$35.

One advantage of the Czech national costume is the fact that there are at least 200 different styles. Stout or slim, tall or short, dark or fair, there is an appropriate costume for all, which can hardly be said of the ultra-fashionable creations at regular intervals evolved in Paris.

Lasts a Lifetime.

Another advantage of these dresses of one linen is that they will last a lifetime. In former days little girls started to work on their dress as soon as they could thread a needle. They were encouraged to cultivate their artistic sense by inventing new designs for the embroidery.

This custom, too, is to be revived in the school.

Warne About Food.

"The Lamson-Hibbard company will make every effort to meet the emergency by putting additional steamers in commission as rapidly as possible, but the public should be warned against a stampede.

"Unless a prospector knows where every day's grub is coming from during his stay north of McMuray, he should not start out. The Hudson Bay company cannot import more than the provisions needed for its trappers."

NO CONTRACT.

COLUMBUS.—Coach Jack Wilcox has no contract with Ohio State as a football mentor. He is just a member of the faculty. However, he isn't expected to get "canned" after his impressive showing.

GATHER FOR CONVENTION.

DENVER, Colo., Dec. 18.—Bankers, cattlemen farmers and manufacturers from 12 western states gathered here today in secret session to discuss problems growing out of the present economic readjustment.

FLEETS OF NATION WILL TAKE LONG CRUISE NEXT JUNE

No Chance That Hauling Administration Will Call Voyage Off: Will Be Test Trip.

WASHINGTON.—Starting about June 15, the American navy will take the second longest trip in its history.

The longest cruise was when ex-President Roosevelt ordered the sea fighters around the world in 1903. There has been some talk that the new administration might cancel Secretary Daniels' order for the long cruise. This report is exploded. The voyage was recommended by the General War Board of Admirals, the bureau of Navigation and the Bureau of Operation, and assurances are said to have been received that the trip will not be called off.

Long Journeys.

The Atlantic fleet will visit the ports of the east coast of South America, then go to Cape Horn, the capital of Cape Colony, Africa, the round trip being 16,400 miles. The Pacific fleet will visit the South Sea islands and the ports of Australia and New Zealand, a distance of 18,000 miles.

The commanders-in-chief haven't sent their exact itineraries to Secretary Daniels yet.

Following are the first line ships of the navy that will make the long voyage:

Atlantic Fleet—Utah, Florida, Delaware, North Dakota, Arizona, Oklahoma and Nevada.

Pacific Fleet—Wyoming, Arkansas, Texas, New Mexico, New York, Mississippi, Idaho and Tennessee.

The purpose of this long cruise is to test out things learned in naval warfare during the World War, such as screening, communication, signaling, radio control, airplane attacks and defense, smoke bombs, and to put into practice gasproofing, torpeding, turbine combustion and other contrivances.

Officers say the admirals will learn how to handle a great fleet as a unit, captains will learn how to handle their ships in the presence of other craft; sailors will get actual practice in rapid maneuvering of machinery and gunnery.

The general board, made up of high-ranking admirals, will learn much about the efficiency of the navy when it reviews the reports.

Before the fleets take the long journey, they will visit the Canal Zone and South American ports, starting about

Jan. 5 and returning to their yards about May 1. The Atlantic fleet goes to Cuba, Canal Zone and Peru. The Pacific fleet to Canal Zone and Valparaiso, Chile. They will engage in joint maneuvers Jan. 24.

SAMUEL GOMPERS ACCEPTS CHALLENGE OF EMPLOYERS

NEW YORK, Dec. 16.—Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, in an address here tonight accepted the challenge of employers who, he said, "seek to destroy labor unions" and to "negate the principles established by unionism."

"American labor accepts the challenge of the employers and will not be driven back from its advantages," he declared. "Let those who are opposing our movement beware. Those who are working for our destruction, beware."

One of the first acts of the newly organized labor body was the adoption of resolutions calling upon President Wilson and the state department to protest against the "English atrocities in Ireland" and also against the burning of buildings in Cork. Another resolution asked that Thomas Mooney, Warren K. Billings and James Lardie be released from imprisonment before Christmas.

We Are Forced

To raise a certain amount of money by January 1. In order to do this we are sacrificing the entire stock. We are going to raise this money; our opening day Thursday was a wonderful success.

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THE SINLESS SABBATH.

What a facetious Washington correspondent calls the "Sinless Sabbath" is bound to command the respectful attention of every serious-minded man or woman. One need not be a religious bigot to lament that Sunday has become, in many quarters, more like a Saturday afternoon off than the quiet day of rest and self-improvement that it used to be. The only real question is as to the best way to stop the spoiling of this fine old American institution.

Says Clarence T. Wilson, general secretary of the National Reform association, now preparing for a drive on congress:

"I believe that instead of importing the continental Sunday with its loose morals and low ideals, we should restore our American Sabbath. We need the Sabbath day for the sake of the men and women who toil, for the support of the family life of the republic, for the opportunity of the church."

All this is true. It may also be true that "we should have Sunday rest laws made for man, quite apart from the religious significance of their relation to God." But can citizens ever agree on what such laws should be?

The legislation proposed by this association for the District of Columbia and eventually for all the states, would aim to bar all sports which have a commercial element—that is, which involves profit for anybody—and all business activities except those absolutely necessary for the public welfare. These aims will probably meet with the approval of most citizens. It is when you come to apply them specifically that the trouble arises.

An officer of the Sunday Reform association is quoted as saying that there must be no Sunday golf or baseball when a charge is made for games; that bathing beaches should be closed on Sunday, partly because it involves money, and partly because it interferes with church-going; that peanut and popcorn vendors must go, that children may go to the parks, but they cannot buy toy balloons or ride on the merry-go-rounds. Presumably fruit stands, tobacco stores and soda fountains are to be closed. Street car and railroad traffic are to be cut to the minimum. Automobiles may be censored.

What a roar will go up from various classes of citizens! There is going to be a merry old row over this.

MAJORITY RULE IN THE LEAGUE.

The apportionment of power between the council and the assembly of the League of Nations has been subjected to criticism during the present meeting of the assembly. Honorio Pueyrredon, retiring head of the Argentine delegation, spoke of the arrangement as "anti-democratic," in that it vested power in a minority rather than in the majority of nations belonging to the league. The New York Times offers pertinent suggestions on this point.

"It is true," says the Times, "that a majority, composed of the smaller nations that are represented in the assembly, has power that is in some respects secondary. But it is a strangely perverse conception of democracy which makes the government unit the nation and not the individual citizens."

"The council represents the four most populous countries in the league (England, France, Italy and Japan), five when the United States is included, and with them four nations of the next order, Belgium, Brazil, Spain and Greece. Thus the council represents by far the larger portion of the civilized world in so far as it has been included in the league. It represents, moreover, the peoples among whom free institutions originated and have had their highest development. And these, as it happens, are the ones that have borne the chief burden of the war; they are still shackled by the need of maintaining armaments, and are therefore the most

deeply interested in promoting the peace of the world.

"The four minor members of the council, furthermore, are in future to be selected by the assembly." If the covenant errs in either direction, it is in vesting a majority of the civilized citizens of the world with a power as organized in the assembly, which is in many ways co-ordinate with that of the great peoples represented in the council.

"Nothing more preposterous has ever been urged than that the few should hold sway over the many, simply because they happen to be split up into a multitude of states."

Viewed in that light, the majority is actually ruling the league, and will continue to rule in the small states are not given an undue increase of power.

THE GREEK DILEMMA.

There is no question that King Constantine is the choice of Greece. In the recent referendum nearly 99 per cent of the Greek people are reported as voting for his recall. The news of his triumph was greeted in Athens and other Greek cities with tremendous enthusiasm. A stranger might have supposed that the Greek nation was hailing its savior rather than its betrayer.

Wanting Constantine, the Greeks naturally have a right to him. But if they take him, they must take what goes with him, including the disgust and distrust of the allies and the loss of allied support. The Greek people have hardly begun yet to realize what this means. The new Greek government, though thoroughly loyal to Constantine, realizes it, and is between the devil and the deep sea.

If that government gives the people what they want, it will soon be a bankrupt government. Great Britain and France, who made Greece free nearly a hundred years ago, and have protected her ever since from Turkey and other rapacious powers, will withdraw their support. That means the immediate refusal of further loans. Greece has been running on borrowed money, with France and Britain as paymasters. If the pay is cut off, she may soon have no army. The newly gained Greek territories in Asia Minor will melt away. Civil employes and enterprises at home will lack funds. There will be no money to pay the interest on the national debt. Greece will be bankrupt.

Absolute political independence is possible only when a nation is financially and economically independent. Greece, therefore, will have to make terms with the allies. If Constantine does return to the Greek throne, it will have to be with such thorough-going guarantees as will satisfy the allies that he has no more power for harm.

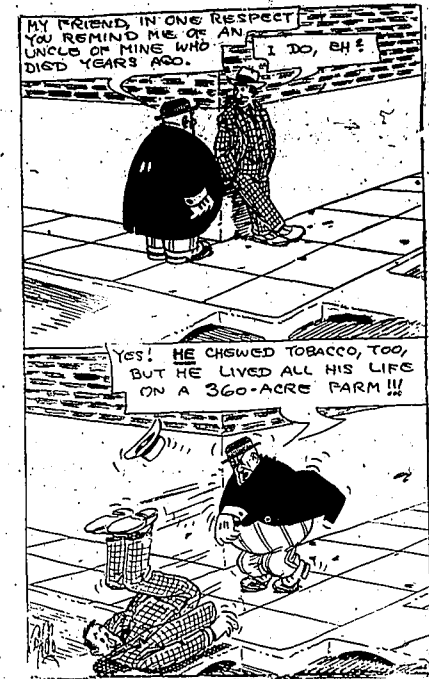
MEDIATION FOR ARMENIA.

The United States congress, in the last session, declined to accept responsibility for Armenia, though urged to do so by President Wilson. Now at the request of the League of Nations council, the president personally has accepted the job.

There is a big difference, however, between mediation and mandate. The president is to be merely mediator between the Armenians and the Turks. He will have no such authority as he and his successor would have had if congress had been willing to have the United States act as mandatory. It will be Woodrow Wilson rather than the president of the United States that seeks to reconcile the Armenians and Turkish Nationalists. He will have little more than his personal prestige and powers of persuasion, in tackling a problem which the European governments confess is beyond them, and which they shun for fear of embarrassing entanglements and imputations of self-interest.

This is a safer and less costly way to handle the Armenian situation, though less promising of success than would have been a mandate backed by the United States army and treasury. Many Americans, particularly church members interested in the Armenians as persecuted fellow-Christians, would still be glad to have the national government assume the burden. The majority of citizens, however, prefer to avoid the unknown pitfalls of intervention in so distant and delicate a business. All have genuine sympathy with the Armenians, and will rejoice if the president succeeds in his difficult task.

OUTBURSTS OF EVERETT TRUE



WHOSE CHILDREN ARE THEY, ASKS HERBERT HOOVER



Herbert Hoover

"They are no more my children than yours," Mr. Hoover says of the 3,500,000 youngsters in Eastern and Central Europe who face "incalculable tragedy." Administration continues supplying them with basic foods. Mr. Hoover as head of the American Relief Administration European Fund, 42, Broadway, New York, calls for \$2,000,000 to carry the child-life of the Old World through this next harvest.

PLAN TARIFF ON IMPORTS OF PRODUCE

Continued From Page One.

while others range from the protection of one single article of comprehensive measure, embracing protection through tariffs or embargoes on over product of the farm.

It was believed the action of the house leaders would not change the plans to pass the senate resolution to revise the war time emergency legislation. This proposition was described as being aside from the particular problems which the house and senate are trying to solve, in shielding the farmer from falling prices.

The action taken at today's joint conference, however, developed a new feud among some house members. While declaring the plan to push through a tariff of embargo proportionate had their support, they expressed fear that other lines of business might seek similar relief.

REORGANIZATION PLAN WILL TAKE MANY YEARS

WASHINGTON.—Big bodies move slowly. That is an axiom of science. The United States government is a big body. That is the boast of every individual connected with it and of every patriotic citizen. Therefore, the public must not expect too much in the way of an early overhauling of government departments

and bureaus, prompted by the incoming administration in the interest both of efficiency and economy.

For instance, Congressman C. F. Reavis, who has before congress the only proposal to date which would set in motion the machinery necessary for reorganization, says it will be at least two years before any proper program of reorganization can be formulated.

"Duplication of activities and overlapping functions of departments and even of bureaus within departments," Reavis says, "is a source of waste almost incalculable. In my judgment it amounts to not less than \$200,000,000 a year."

"Yet enormous as the waste is, and as easy as it is to put one's finger on individual points of lost motion and waste effort, it would only add to confusion and waste to undertake to correct the situation piecemeal. It can only be done properly after a comprehensive study has been made of the whole governmental layout."

"On the basis of such a study, and on it alone, will it be possible to work out a unified, systematic program of reorganization such as is necessary if a full dollar's worth of government service is to be given for each dollar wrung from the taxpayer."

Reavis has introduced a resolution calling for the appointment of a special reorganization commission, to consist of three members from the house and three from the senate, to conduct an investigation into duplications and overlapping activities in the present government organization, as the first necessary step toward providing a remedy.

Appointment of the reorganization commission, Reavis' hope, will be made at this short session, in order that it may buckle down to work immediately.

"If the job is to be done thoroughly and as it should be, the work of investigation and of drafting the legislation necessary to straighten out present kinks will require a long time, perhaps two years."

"It is desirable, of course, that it be done quickly, but it is more important that it be done right."

JUMPS TO DEATH.

SEATTLE, Wash.—For years William Fehler, "whistling evangelist," had ridden his bicycle here carrying a big sign, "Prepare to meet thy God. He jumped to death from a two-story building."

TAUGHT BY MAIL.

FRANKFORT, Ky.—In order to bring teachers up to the requirements of the new law, and to forestall closing of 10,000 schools, teachers of Kentucky are to be given a course by mail.

THORPE'S OPINION.

CANTON, O.—Jim Thorpe, who showed his professional football team at the Polo grounds, says he believes the time is ripe to put a crack team of former college stars in New York.

WANT HUFFMAN.

AKRON, O.—Captain Huffman, of the Ohio State club, has been approached by the Cleveland Indians, baseball scout and offered a tryout. Huffman is a catcher.

NEALE'S SUCCESS.

MARIETTA, Ga.—Coach Neale has had such remarkable success as a football coach that he has received several offers to go down east. Neale may not be at Marietta next fall.

CONGRESS WOULD "DAM IMMIGRANT" TO THIS NATION

Members of Legislative Body Believe Step Necessary to Avert Destruction of Country.

WASHINGTON.—"Dam the Immigrant!"

Those three words may properly be taken as the slogan of the last session of the sixty-sixth congress just convened.

It isn't an epithet—notice the spelling. It's the statement of a policy that four out five members of congress believe must be followed, temporarily, as a necessary part of our reconstruction program.

As a result, one of the few positive steps to be taken at the short session, other than the passing and passage of appropriation bills, will be the putting up the bars to dam back the tide of immigration.

Would Stop It for Two Years.

The first step has been taken by the introduction, by Albert Johnson of Washington, chairman of the house immigration committee, of a bill "to provide for the protection of the United States by the temporary suspension of immigration."

Johnson's bill would cut off absolutely, for a period of two years, all immigration with the exception of blood relatives of persons already citizens of the United States.

"My measure is purely an emergency bill," says Johnson. "It is imperative, it needless suffering and trouble is to be avoided, that immigration be held in check until both Europe and America have gained a better grasp of their reconstruction problem."

"Already hundreds of thousands of persons, many of them women and children, are undergoing hardships and privation in European ports because, although they have passports for America, they cannot get passage accommodations. Unless some such legislation is passed, the number of immigrants that will come to us within the next two years will be limited only by the capacity of vessels. It probably would reach, within two years, between 3,000,000 and 4,000,000 persons."

Europe Being Swept By Typhus.

"Europe is just now being swept by typhus and other diseases. Health and vitality are at low ebb. A man just back from Europe tells me that he believes the next few years will see an increase of 50,000,000 deaths above normal in Europe—deaths due to post-war diseases, etc. That is a condition that should be carefully considered both by this country and by Europe."

The doors closed, at the present session of congress, to any serious consideration of the plea of the Philippines for early independence. More over the attitude of republican members of the senate, the committee, who will dominate the policy of that committee during the next two years, makes it virtually a certainty that there will be no grant of Philippine independence in the first half of the Harding administration.

MEAT INJURIOUS TO THE KIDNEYS

Take a Tablespoonful of Salee II Black Hints or Bladder Botthers.

We are a nation of meat eaters and our blood is filled with uric acid, says a well known authority who warns us to be constantly on guard against kidney trouble.

The kidneys do their utmost to free the blood of this irritating acid, but become weak from the overwork; they get sluggish; the eliminative tissues close and thus the waste is retained in the blood to poison the entire system.

When your kidneys ache and feel like lumps of lead, and you have aching pains in the back or the urine is cloudy, full of sediment, or the bladder is irritable, obliging you to seek relief during the night; when you have sore headaches, nervousness and dizzy spells, stiffness of acid stomach or rheumatism in bad weather, get from your pharmacist about four ounces of Jad Salts; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast each morning and in a few days your kidneys will get free.

This famous salt is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to flush and stimulate sluggish kidneys, to neutralize the acids in uric acid. It is longer a source of irritation, thus ending urinary and bladder disorders.

Jad Salts is inexpensive and cannot injure; makes a delightful effervescent citric acid water drink, and nobody can make a mistake by taking a little occasionally to keep the kidneys clean and active.—Adv.

TIP TO HUNTERS.

ARCHER, Kas.—J. M. Challis, attorney, hunter, bowyer and arrow and gets plenty of ducks. His weapon being needless doesn't scare the birds away.

MITCHELL BOYS OUT FOR TITLE IN TWO WEIGHTS

Michie After Lightweight Crown and
Willie Wants Welterweight Honors
—Brother Is Manager.

By DEAN SNYDER.

The Mitchell family—they're all in the same business. They have the same ideals and they are getting along mighty well. The "End of the Rainbow," which they are chasing, has almost reached the point where it may be realized soon or it may have to be put in the scrap heap.

Their Ideals.

The fighting members of the family are Michie, who seeks the lightweight crown, Pinky, who is making eyes at the welterweight title, and Billy, who is supplying the managerial fuel to assist his brothers in gaining their respective ambitions.

The fight came over in Milwaukee, home of the fighting family of Michie, centers largely about the ideals of the brother boxers.

Michie is considered the west's best bet to win the world's lightweight title. Pinky is in the "corner" class of welter.

Real Job.

The two title holders, Michie and Pinky, seek to land down from their pedestals are Benny Leonard and Jack Britton.

That means they have a real job to work at.

Michie maintains that Leonard cannot claim the world's title until he defeats him decisively. For Michie knocked out Lew Edwards, champion of Australia, and Clonie Tait, Canada's champion. The lightweight of the Mitchell family has also beaten Well, ing, Rivers, Welsh, White and a string of others.

Pool Encircling.

Pinky has fought himself up from the featherweight class, and although three or four pounds shy of the weight of Britton, he boxed him a mighty close battle the other night. The difference between the contender and

the title holder was so slight that newsmen disagreed on the verdict. Both boys are clean fighters. They devote all their time to boxing. Brother Billy does the managing, thus keeping all the money they earn in the family strong box.

Two Head Rings.

Leonard is the greatest lightweight fighting machine the ring has had for a long time. Britton, though nearing his forty mark, is such a wise old owl that nobody seems able to tamper with his title just yet.

So meanwhile the Mitchell family goes about its business of trying to annex two titles. That would be some, thing new in ring history.

Whether they are chasing rainbows or not is one of those things in boxing that Father Time will have to settle.

LEAGUE DIRECTORS TO HELP PROSECUTION

NEW YORK, Dec. 17.—A sum of money, the amount of which was not disclosed, was voted today by the board of directors of the American league to be used in aiding the Cook county state's attorney in prosecuting the players and managers indicted by the Chicago grand jury in connection with the 1920 world's series scandal. This and the official awarding of the 1920 pennant to Cleveland, it was announced, constituted the business before the directors.

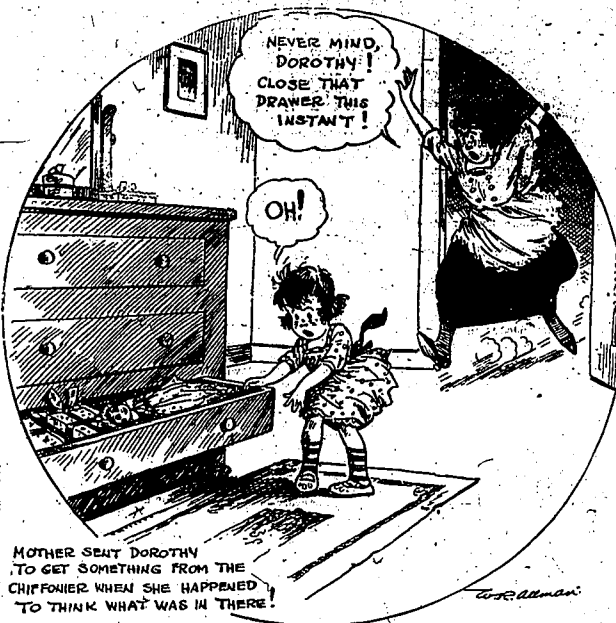
While it was stated that the session was unimportant, significance is attached to the election of directors for the ensuing year from the fact that the three so-called insurgent clubs—New York, Chicago and Boston—again were denied representation on the board.

The directors chosen included the presidents of the St. Louis, Cleveland, Washington and Philadelphia clubs, the only change being the substitution of Cleveland for Detroit. President Naylor of the Detroit club was re-elected vice president of the league. President Johnson presided at both sessions.

CHARGE CIVIL BODY WITH UNFAIR COMPETITION

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—The chamber of commerce of Minneapolis has petitioned the board of directors and members, and the Manager Publishing company, publishers of The Co-

The Great American Home.



MOTHER SENT DOROTHY
TO GET SOMETHING FROM THE
CHIFFONIER WHEN SHE HAPPENED
TO THINK WHAT WAS IN THERE.

operative Manager and Farmer, and its editor and managing editor have been cited by the federal trade commission, upon complaint, to answer charges of unfair competition in the sale of their product. After filing answers, which are required within 40 days, the case will come to trial on its merits.

"The gist of the complaint," the announcement by the commission tonight said, "is that the respondents have entered into and carried out a conspiracy to destroy the business of members of the competing exchange, (The Equity Exchange of St. Paul) which is not opposed to the conduct of business on the cooperative principle, thus securing for themselves a monopoly in the trade at Minneapolis."

NEWSPAPER MEN TEST FITNESS OF CHAMPION

CHICAGO, Dec. 17.—A score of newspaper reporters tonight put Jack Dempsey through a series of tests, many patterned after those used in the war in examining applicants for the air service, in an effort to confirm the heavyweight champion's claim that neither of his ears had been seriously injured by the blows of Bill Brennan in their fight and Dempsey came through all of them successfully.

Reports that one ear virtually was torn off and that he had stopped in St. Louis, Michigan, to consult a specialist over deafness which was reported to have set in after the fight, at first amused the champion, but when he learned the reports were taken seriously, he volunteered to go through any tests desired.

For an hour the reporters held watches to his ear, from a distance of 20 feet and used other tests, but in no case was there any indication that the fighter had sustained serious injury. The only mark he bore was a slight scratch on the lobe of one ear.

COAST LEAGUE MAGNATES POSTPONE ELECTING OFFICER

SACRAMENTO, Cal., Dec. 16.—Coast league magnates postponed the election of a president for the season of 1921 until tomorrow, it was announced after the meeting here today. The session was devoted mainly to the discussion of the season's business. Gambling was discussed from every angle and the owners decided the club managers should be held responsible for the conduct of the players off and on the field.

JACK DEMPSEY CONFERS WITH MICHIGAN PROMOTER

BENTON HARRISON, Mich., Dec. 17.—Jack Dempsey spent a few hours here today with Floyd Fitzsimmons, who promoted the Dempsey-Mike light last September, and who has been seeking to have the Dempsey-Carpenter bout staged here. Dempsey left for Chicago this evening en route to Salt Lake City, where he is scheduled to appear in a charity performance Monday night.

Fitzsimmons announced later that nothing had been settled as to a championship fight here, but added that he expected to stage a bout between Dempsey and an opponent, either next Fourth of July or Labor Day.

CADDOCK TO MEET PESEK EBS MOINES, Dec. 16.—John

Pease of Esholt, Neb., and Earl Caddock of Walnut, Ill., former heavy weight wrestling champions of the world will meet in a finish match here December 28, it was announced today.

TANK: OHIO WATER COLUMBUS, The Ohio State

eleven will take their own drinking water with them to California. Three hundred gallons of Ohio's best H₂O will be stored on the baggage car of the "special."

LONG ELECTED CAPTAIN DES MOINES, Ia., Dec. 16.—Ted

Long of Des Moines was elected captain of the Drake university football squad here tonight. Long has played two years on the Drake team.

CRUST OF EARTH IS TORN BY EARTHQUAKE

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—Somewhere, perhaps leagues deep beneath the rolling blue of the Atlantic and forever hidden from the eyes of man the earth's crust was torn and twisted today by a titanic convulsion.

For hours the earth's surface shuddered under the feet of heedless millions. Force waves thousands of miles in length swept outward from that stark center like ripples on a rock broken pool. Yet only the unsleeping seismograph noted it and inserted a mute record for the watchful scientists who guard them.

First word of the disturbance came from the Georgetown university here. When the Rev. Father Francis A. Tondorf, director of the seismographic observatory, peered at his delicate mechanism this morning, they told him of a shock more severe than

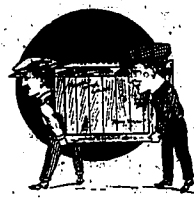
any recorded in the last two years. Somewhere the power beneath the surface was still bulking at the earth crust holding it in check.

Father Tondorf sent out word of the shock, thinking it might be another great disaster. As the day went by, however, no word came back, leaving to conjecture the scenes and exact nature of the disturbance.

Experienced observer that he is, Father Tondorf chased the record of his instruments as that of a "terrible" shock. It began soon after 7 a. m. here, reached its greatest intensity towards 8 o'clock and was still leaving a wavering dimming till afternoon when the earth slowly settled to quiet. The chart indicated an east westerly direction. Father Tondorf estimated the disturbance from Washington as 2,800 miles.

First impressions were indistinct, he said, while records of great disturbances in South or Central America have been recorded sharply and clearly. It might have been, the scientist said, a submarine disturbance, a new mountain peak flung up under the waves. The disturbance was eastward, which places the scene not far from the Azores, but no word of an earthquake came.

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DOINGS OF THE DUFFS



BY ALLMAN

Market News

Live Stock

CHICAGO, Dec. 17.—Cattle, 50,000; all grades uneven, but mostly steady; heavy steers, \$11.45; yearlings \$11.50; bulk \$11.50; best canners \$12.75; little fat steers about \$10.75; practical top on veal \$10; good medium weight feeders steers \$8; Canada hogs \$6.60.

Hogs 27,000; mostly 15 to 25 cents higher than yesterday's average; lights up most, closing weak and most of advance lost except on lights; top early one load light \$9.50; practical top \$9.40; bulk sales \$9.10 to \$9.35; pigs mostly 25 cents higher; bulk dealer, able to 150 pound pigs \$9.40 to \$9.50.

Sheep 11,000; fat lambs 25 to 50 cents lower; top \$10.75; bulk \$9.50; yearlings 1 to 1.25 lower; top 8; choice late \$7.75; ewes 50 cents lower; top \$7.50; ewes 105 to 135 pound ewes late \$7.75; top; bulk \$6.50 to \$7.75; no fat aged wethers or feeder lambs sold.

OMAHA, Neb., Dec. 17.—Hogs, 8,500; active, mostly 25c higher; bulk medium and light, butchers \$9.75 to \$9.85; top \$9.85; bulk medium and packing grades \$8.00 to \$8.70.

Cattle 1,100; beef steers and butcher cattle, slow sales, packers about steady; stockers and feeders dull, \$7.00; sheep, mostly lambs \$8.00; lower; bulk heavy lambs \$8.50; bulk heavy weight and light lambs \$8.50 to \$9; top \$9.25; top ewes \$8.75; feeder and best feeder lambs \$8.75.

Produce

BUTTER AND EGGS.
CHICAGO, Dec. 17.—Butter unchanged. Eggs lower; receipts 723 cases, net 68,800; ordinary frills 50¢ per case at market; fancy, 55¢; 60¢; refrigerator frills 57¢.

Poultry, alive, unchanged.

POTATOES.
CHICAGO, Dec. 17.—Potatoes, steady; receipts 1,000 cases; Northern white sacked \$1.35 to \$1.50.

Finance

LIBERTY BONDS.
NEW YORK, Dec. 17.—Liberty bonds closed: 3 1/2 \$84; first 4 1/2 \$85.50 bid; second 4 1/2 \$85; first 4 1/2 \$85.50; second 4 1/2 \$85; first 4 1/2 \$85.50; fourth 4 1/2 \$85.50; Victory 3 \$87.50; Victory 4 3 1/2 \$86.

FORMER BALLPLAYER KILLED.
JOPLIN, Mo., Dec. 17.—Raymond C. Barry, former outfielder with the Western association, Western league and Pacific coast league baseball teams, received word today of his death in an explosion in a copper mine near Santa Rita, N. M. Barry was 47 years old and married. He played baseball last with the Lincoln club in the Western league in 1917.

BURGULARS ROBB POST OFFICE.
SEBRAND, Wyo., Dec. 16.—Burglars entered the post-office at Sebrand, Wyo., and stole \$1,000 in currency, county last night and opened all first class mail in the office. Sheriff Thomas announced today it is not known if any articles were stolen. A quantity of stamps was overlooked.

Key, the Tailor is putting on a special for 10 days. Business Suits \$50.00 made in Twin Falls. Room 32, Smith Rice Bldg.—Adv. 11-112

ARKS STUDY OF SITUATION.
SACRAMENTO, Cal., Dec. 16.—A personal appeal has been made to Governor W. D. Stephens to leave United States senator and member of the house of representatives to study closely the Japanese situation in California as outlined in the report made by the state board of control, it was announced today.

MAY BENCH CORHAN.
SAN FRANCISCO.—Roy Corhan, once considered the greatest shortstop on the Pacific coast, may play the role of assistant bench manager for the Seals next year. He has a lame arm.

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INTERRUPTIONS FEATURE
BUILDING TRUST PROBE

NEW YORK, Dec. 16.—Despite defiant witnesses and numerous interruptions from spectators, three of whom were ejected from the meeting room, the joint legislative committee investigating the alleged "building trust" today continued its investigation into the "open shop" activities of the National Erectors association.

CONTRIVERSY LAUNCHED
OVER ANTI-STRIKE BILL

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—Another controversy in congress over anti-strike legislation was launched through passage by the senate of the Polindexter bill to penalize interference with interstate commerce.

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WILL MEET WITH RAILROADS TO SECURE NEW RATE

Asher B. Wilson Contradicts Reports That Commerce Commission Will Meet At Hearing.

Advices received by Asher B. Wilson, president of the local chamber of commerce, contradict reports published here yesterday evening to the effect that the Interstate Commerce Commission would meet at a hearing to be held in Portland on Monday in connection with the proposed reduction in freight rates on grain products and potatoes.

Mr. Wilson stated last night that he has been reliably informed that the hearing will be conducted by the Oregon Short Line Railroad company, the Union Pacific system and the Traffic Bureau of Chicago, for the purpose of securing some concrete and definite plan to present to the commission.

The railroads, he declared, are willing and ready to make this concession, provided only that sufficient evidence as to the cost of production can be adduced. Mr. Wilson has been in communication with Elmer Burley, Kimberly, Jerome and Ithell, and has been assured that these towns will have representatives at the hearing.

A delegation will leave here on the evening train Sunday, according to the president of the chamber of commerce, but just whom it will consist of has not yet been ascertained. (See DeLong is getting the potato men lined up, he stated.)

All claims have been made to parties in the hearing, including the growers, shippers and also representatives of the banking and financial institutions of the country.

The proposed reductions, it is stated, will amount to from 25 to 33 per cent, which will practically multiply the increase granted to the carriers on August 26.

PERSONAL MENTION

Judge and Mrs. E. A. Walters, accompanied by Mrs. L. G. Novinger, motored to Shoshone yesterday.

W. F. Alworth of Piler was a visitor in the city last evening.

A. M. Supplinger of Moscow is transacting business in the city for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Patton of Buhl were visitors in the city on Thursday.

J. H. Barnes transacted business in the city yesterday between trains.

Mrs. Elmhurst Frost of Buhl was among the out of town shoppers in the city today.

Dr. James Monroe of Buhl spent a part of yesterday in the city.

Mrs. Francis Lee Johnson of Murtaugh was a shopper here yesterday.

L. C. Anderson of Idaho Falls was among the arrivals in the city yesterday.

The Misses Laura Flood and Gladys Rogers of Berger are visiting in the city for a few days.

Mrs. L. A. McAllister of Fairfield is in the city visiting relatives and looking after business.

Mrs. Guy Crown of Hansen visited friends here Friday.

Wm. Hester of Murtaugh was in the city Friday looking after business interests.

Mrs. E. L. Conklin of Kimberly was a shopper in Twin Falls yesterday.

A divorce decree was issued yesterday by Judge W. A. Babcock of the district court to Carrie Dedman, dissolving the bonds of matrimony between herself and Edward Dedman. Plaintiff was represented by Botwell and Chapman.

LYNN IS SENTENCED. Thirty days in jail and a fine of \$100 were imposed on E. J. Lynch by the judge of the district court yesterday for the illegal possession of intoxicating liquors. Lynch is said to have had 150 pints of whiskey stored in an ice house near Hansen.

EDITOR IS KIDNAPED. GILBERT FALLS, Mont., Dec. 17.—E. J. Moran, editor of a radical weekly

paper, "The Spotlight," was nearly beaten by a man who lived off his office tonight and then kidnapped. Despite screams from Moran's wife, he was dragged downstairs and thrown into the back seat of an automobile which crossed the Missouri river bridge toward the western city limits.

Society

Mrs. Morgan G. Heap and Mrs. L. M. Perrine were hostesses at a reception Thursday afternoon at the Heap home, honoring Mrs. L. G. Novinger of Long Beach, California, who is a guest at the home of Mrs. E. A. Walters. The house was artistically decorated with evergreens and potted plants. The tea table was centered with a large basket of red carnations. A miniature Santa Claus and a miniature Christmas tree with red candles helped to carry out the color scheme. Mrs. T. O. Boyd poured coffee and Mrs. W. H. Greenough poured coffee. Mrs. L. P. Morse and Mrs. Lydia Boyd, Kenneth assisted in serving. Mrs. J. Woods, Mrs. Zeena Smith, Mrs. O. P. Duvall, and Mrs. L. C. Hill delightedly entertained the guests, each rendering several vocal solos.

Mrs. Ernest White entertained at dinner Thursday evening in honor of Mrs. L. G. Novinger. The evening was spent playing bridge. Mrs. N. J. Keefe won the prize for high score and Mrs. Novinger was presented with a gold prize. The guests were Mrs. James E. A. Walters, J. A. and N. J. Keefe, M. L. House, Willet Hance Sr., H. A. Denning, W. A. Ostrom, Morgan Heap, L. B. Perrine, W. F. Pike and E. B. Williams.

Mrs. A.M. entertained for a few friends Thursday evening honoring her mother, Mrs. Holgate of Caldwell, who is spending the winter here. The evening was spent with music and singing. The guests were Mrs. Meddison, Pettiball, J. G. Thorp, Homer Hall, Nellie Phelps and Putnam; and the Misses Rosella Glenn, Blanche Hill, Irene Ormsby, Mary Deagle, Katherine Daly, and Elizabeth Priestley. Delicious refreshments were served at the close of the evening.

The Catholic Women's league met at the home of Mrs. Peter Erickson on Thursday evening. A short business meeting was held and the remainder of the evening was spent in making Christmas stockings for a Christmas tree which they are planning for the children.

The Young Peoples Society of the Ascension Episcopal church held the first of a series of parties to be given for the young people of the community. An impromptu program was given which consisted of vocal and instrumental music. The remainder of the evening was spent in dancing. About 50 guests were present.

VAN COTT CASE IS DISMISSED BY COURT

Upon motion of counsel for the defense that the judge direct the verdict, the case of the state against Dr. E. R. Van Cott was yesterday dismissed in the district court on the grounds that the information contained in the complaint was not sufficient to constitute an offense.

The case was an appeal from the police court where Dr. Van Cott was found guilty of the charge of speeding and was fined \$50. He entered the plea that he was responding to an emergency call and as a consequence was entitled to exceed the limit. Porter and Witham represented the defense, the city's attorney being Judge John E. Davies.

SPAIN WOULD BREAK UP ALL TRADE UNIONS

VALENCIA, Spain, Dec. 17.—Orders have been issued by the governor for the dissolution of all trades unions in the province. He is sending notices to the mayors of the various cities asking them to take the strictest measures to prohibit union activities.

Negotiations with dissolved unions or their delegates is forbidden by the governor under threat of severe punishment.

ANNUAL SESSION OF COMMISSIONERS DECIDED SUCCESS

Local Representatives Return From Boise Meeting; Pass Important Resolutions

Both T. E. Moore and W. F. Brecken, county commissioners, who returned yesterday morning from Boise, where they attended the annual convention of the Idaho County Commissioners' association, report that conference was a splendid success. Several resolutions were passed which are expected to bear good fruit. The session adjourned on Thursday after having chosen Sandpoint as the place of the convention in 1921.

Among the more important resolutions carried at the convention, according to their report, was one which condemned the general extravagance of the governmental departments of the state, county and municipalities. This criticism was especially drastic where directed at that part of the state government retaining public schools.

Although refusing to go on record as opposing the "Doughboy" statute as a memorial to veterans of the world war, the general sentiment of the meeting appeared to be that the soldiers were not in favor of the bill and that their wishes in this regard should be respected. Several of the delegates declared that the lion of the money toward the bull-ex-service men favored the donating of a community hall or a home for ex-service men, and in this particular they were well advised.

The session passed requesting President-elect Warren G. Harding to designate Governor D. W. Davis as secretary of the interior during the coming administration was amended and modified so as to request the appointment of an Idaho man. An amendment to the petition was carried without a dissenting voice.

Resolutions were passed opposed to any general increase in the valuation of real estate and farm lands because of the great burden placed upon the shoulders of the taxpayers of the state by the huge increase in taxation. The convention also went on record as favoring the creation of a nonpartisan tax commission which would formulate an uniform system of assessing and equalizing the property of the state and to justify different the burden of taxes over the various different classes of property.

E. Gallett, state auditor, who addressed the convention on Thursday afternoon declared that he will recommend a bill which will give the legal support to the County Commissioners' Association. Action was also taken looking toward making a levy of from \$10 to \$25 from each county to support a legislative committee which will study all proposed acts and statutes with a view to keeping the county executives advised as to what is pending.

LINDQUEST PROGRAM PLEASES AUDIENCE

Before a large and appreciative audience in the high school auditorium last night, Albert Lindquest last night gave one of the best musical programs which has ever been heard in Twin Falls. His appearance was under the auspices of the Twentieth Century club, comprising one of the numbers of the splendid lyceum course which that organization is presenting.

With the capable assistance of Miss Leonora Allen, soprano, he rendered a very diversified program in a voice of wonderful sweetness, and with most accomplished technique. Robert MacDonald, also gave several selections on the piano.

Following the concert, a reception was given to the artists by the members of the club at the Baptist bungalow.

DISMISS CHARGE AGAINST WALKER IN PROBATE COURT

An action was taken against E. A. Walker on the charge of issuing bad checks, was yesterday dismissed in the probate court by Judge O. P. Duvall. Evidence was introduced to show that the defendant had been employed here as a bank teller for a Pacific life firm, and that these duties also necessitated the issuance of checks and drafts. It was brought out during the proceedings that someone, whose identity is as yet unknown, forged Walker's name thus causing the charge to be brought against him.

GIRL TELLS OF ALLEGED ATTACKS BY GANGSTER

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 17.—Miss Jean Stanley, formerly of Portland, Ore., told a jury trying Edmond Murphy here today of attacks on herself and on Miss Jeanie Montgomery of Reno, Nev., which directly have caused the killings of six men and have aroused public sentiment here to a high pitch. Murphy is the first of five alleged gangsters accused of the attacks to go to trial. Much of Miss Stanley's testimony

was devoted to the efforts she made to protect Miss Montgomery from Murphy and other bandits. Bandits men held here, Miss Stanley said. George Boyd, lynched with two others at Santa Rosa, Cal., as a result of the killings of three peace officers, had participated in the attacks on the most innocent of the innocent.

Elaborate plans to protect Murphy and companions from mob violence again were maintained today. Chinese boys who set off strings of firecrackers in the street car near the hall of Justice late today caused a flurry of excitement and a suspension for a few moments of the girl's testimony.

Miss Stanley, a slight girl of attractive appearance, answered the question propounded slowly and deliberately. Her fears and persuasion, she said, resulted in her being spared from the most shameful of the humiliations she said were inflicted on Miss Montgomery.

His description of the night of horror in the "view shock" where the attacks occurred, of her escape and a subsequent return with the police and of the condition of Miss Montgomery, was harrowing in the extreme.

WILD HORSES BEING BRED FOR FOOD, CLASP

SPOKANE, Wash.—Wild horses on the Colville Indian reservation of Washington are being shot and eaten by the Indians. According to a statement made by Grant Copeland, president of the Spokane Stockmen's club, at a meeting of stockmen here recently:

"Small horses have become numerous, very wild and a nuisance on the Colville reservation, where they eat grass and grow fat," said Mr. Copeland. "Cattlemen can not get near enough to rope them so they shoot them, and in many cases eat parts of the meat. There is no cleaner meat, and the hind quarters are especially good food," he said.

The horses on the Colville ranges, Mr. Copeland asserted, have been running for years. They are interbred, descendants of capture and have become a breed of their own, he said.

LEGATION SECRETARY MARRIES IN LONDON

LONDON, Dec. 17.—William Smith Howell of Tacoma and Miss Charlotte A. Barth of Denver, Col., were married this afternoon in St. Margaret's West Minister.

Mr. Howell, who was once second secretary of the American embassy in London, is now secretary to the legation in Prague.

MAKING APPOINTMENT GOVERNOR OF DANZIG

GENEVA, Dec. 17.—Bridgette General Sir Richard C. B. Higgins, who has served under the administration of Sir Reginald Fowler at Danzig, today was appointed permanent high commissioner at Danzig by the league of nations council.

PRESENT PROPOSALS OF INTEREST OF FARMERS

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—Two separate proposals looking toward alterations in the federal reserve system in the interest of farmers were presented today in the senate.

Senator Hitchcock, democrat, of Nebraska, presented a bill to amend the federal reserve act so as to permit the secretary of the treasury to place profits resulting from operations of the federal reserve system as special deposits in such reserve banks as he might select. These deposits would remain in the bank but to be used one year and would be used to discount paper of member banks loaned on agricultural products or livestock.

The second proposal, an amendment to the federal reserve act, offered by Senator Smith, democrat, of Georgia, would make cotton factors' paper eligible for discount at reserve banks.

CHAIRMAN WARREN PROTESTS AGAINST EXPENDITURES

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—An inclusive debate on the Sheppard-Towner bill for federal and state aid to maternity and infancy served as a vehicle today for Chairman Warren of the senate appropriation committee to issue a general protest against rising government expenditures.

"We are facing a situation where we must cut even if we cause heart ache," Senator Warren asserted. "We have had our attention called to a deficit of \$1,250,000,000 existing now. Treasury Secretary Houston reports that there was this year a decrease in national indebtedness, but there is something which I don't like to bring forth but which must be faced. This year the treasury has had the receipts from immense stores of war materials sold as salvage. According to the last reports I have been able to secure, the total revived from these sales is \$70,000,000 more than the reduction accomplished in the debt."

"Now 1919 was a year of unparalleled prosperity and the taxes we are collecting now are consequently the greatest that could be secured. The

present year, with falling prices, is a year of depression. Taxes and business must close up their books and the figures show that our government cannot meet the obligations of the federal reserve system off every day, excepting that our treasury certificates bearing 4 per cent interest and 100 per cent gold will be sold at a discount before the money can be obtained.

NEBRASKANS BACK

KANSAS CITY—Next year will find the University of Nebraska back in the Missouri Valley Conference. That will make nine members, the largest number the conference ever had.

GOLD FOOTBALLS

COLUMBUS—In addition to the 40 players on the Ohio state championship eleven, Coach Wiley and his assistants will receive gold football helmets at the annual banquet which will be held in January.

Chronicle Want Ads. bring results.

Rogerson Cafe

Merchants' Lunch 50 Cents

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Beef Broth With Rice

Fried Halibut Steak, Sliced Lemon

Boiled Breast of Lamb, Green Peas

Boiled Beef Tongue, Spinach

Stuffed Heart, Crosse Sauce

Roast Lamb, Apple Jelly

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