

ITALIAN CODES  
THE EFFECTS  
OF BLOCKADE

Italian Fleet Successfully  
Closes Gateway to  
Fiume

EXITS ARE BARRED  
ON THREE SIDES

Regular Troops Hold Strong-  
holds: Citizens of City  
Begin to Feel Lack  
of Food

TRIESTE, Dec. 25.—Fiume, Arba, Vozza and San Matteo, under blockade by the Italian fleet, are already beginning to feel the scarcity of food. The greater part of Gabriele D'Annunzio's troops are remaining in their barracks at Fiume and their officers are in direct communication with the post, who looks after the military as well as the political affairs of the beleaguered city.

Closes It On City.  
Immediately after official notice of the blockade was given to the "regent" of Fiume, the Italian "Generalissimo" who is in command of the soldiers posted around the city, the frontiers closed in upon the city, barring all exit on three sides. For about 100 yards out of the city the railway tracks were removed, stopping traffic to and from the city. The roads leading out of the city were also closed, and the frontiers were barred with iron gates and wire entanglements. Here and there trenches have been dug in which patrols are keeping a lookout.

Regular troops surround the blockade line at short intervals. Royal guards and carabinieri hold the sea line while the Italian troops dominate the city from the "northern heights."

Claim Foot Is Nervous.  
D'Annunzio, according to information leaking out of Fiume, is actually taking no stands displaying great nervous activity in the work of defense. He is inspiring order, giving advice, writing proclamations and reciting aloud.

The post commander is highly indignant about some of the conditions in General Cavallera's ultimatum, especially the demand that the blockade of his troops, which he considers an outrageous offense to the independence of the regency, which he declares had a right to form mainly for its own defense, even with foreign troops, in France and Holland have done in the case of their foreign regions.

Meanwhile the blockade has caused a great increase in the price of all necessities, some of which have become almost unobtainable. The people, in consequence, have begun to hoard foodstuffs, and many have purchased large stocks of food.

One of condensed milk for instance have entirely disappeared from the market, while fresh milk is not coming in from the neighboring country which is occupied by Italian forces.

Most Is Luxury.  
Meat is a food of extraordinary luxury. Measures, however have been adopted to punish shopkeepers and food hoarders.

Foch Outshouts His Generals



Big generals don't get a chance to do any shooting when there's a war on so Marshall Foch had to wait until there was a big "diplomatic" hunt, held outside Paris, to prove his worth. Foch is just taking a puff on his pipe. On the right with his back towards the camera is U. S. Ambassador Wallace.

MRS. CLARA SMITH HAMON  
RELEASED ON BIG BOND

By the Associated Press.  
ARMORE, Okla., Dec. 25.—Mrs. Clara Smith Hamon who has figured prominently in the newspapers of the nation for a month following the shooting of Jake L. Hamon, republican national committeeman of Oklahoma, tonight is enjoying the freedom of her own home after her voluntary return to Ardmore. In the office of the sheriff of Carter county, Mrs. Hamon who returned here at noon today to answer a charge of murder in connection with the death of Hamon, was released on bond shortly after 6 o'clock.

Mrs. Hamon pleaded "not guilty." Mrs. Hamon, according to her plans, intends to spend a number of days with relatives at Wilson and then return to her home in Ardmore where her parents live and remain there until her trial comes up in district court. Counsel for Mrs. Hamon has announced that they will seek to have the case docketed for January term of court and it was said that the request probably would be granted.

Mrs. Hamon displayed little emotion as she was greeted by her relatives here. She was whisked into

ERA OF STABILIZED  
BUSINESS IN SIGHT  
SAYS RESERVE BANK

Storm of 1920 Has Been Weathered  
and Better Times are in Sight  
—Is Declaration

CLEVELAND, O., Dec. 25.—The fourth federal reserve bank in its monthly summary of business conditions issued today, says business has weathered the storm of 1920 and that an era of stabilized business conditions is in sight.

"We are still sailing the sea of readjustment," the statement says, "some squalls have blown up but the business ship has successfully weathered the storm business thus far." "The fact remains, however," it continues, "in concluding of the situation that we are still on the sea and cannot leave the ship until we reach port."

"We believe land is in sight and that within a reasonable time we shall safely reach refuge in the harbor of stabilized business."

While the year "has been one of surprising developments to many," says the statement, "there is nothing but what students of business conditions had expected."

"A substantial liquidation has taken place and the damage done as compared with the good accomplished has been surprisingly small," it says.

GERMAN PRESIDENT  
THANKS AMERICANS  
FOR AIDING POOR

BERLIN, Dec. 25.—President Ebert has issued a proclamation of appreciation for the sympathy shown for needy Germans by foreign nations and has especially thanked the Quakers and other American organizations which have been feeding the children and hungry students.

Herr Ebert expressed appreciation for the work done by charitable organizations Denmark, Norway, Finland, Holland, Sweden, Switzerland and South America. In concluding the message says that the German people, hard pressed and hungry will not forget what has been done for them.

HARDING SPENDS HIS  
FIRST XMAS AT HOME  
IN LAST FIVE YEARS

MARION, O., Dec. 25.—President and Mrs. Harding today celebrated Christmas by observing a day of Xmas presents received from all parts of the country and by entertaining newspaper correspondents at dinner.

It was the first Christmas Senator and Mrs. Harding had spent in their Marion home in five years. No political conferences were held and the day was devoted to rest and the celebration of the holiday. The presents received by the senator ranged from cigarettes to Georgia peaches.

ARMED CLASSIC TO BE HELD IN DETROIT IN 1921

DETROIT, Dec. 25.—The Pulitzer trophy race, the airplane classic of America, is to be held here in 1921, according to Colonel J. G. Vincent, head of the aviation country club. As tentatively planned the contest will be staged over a triangular course. The race, it was said, would be for about 250 miles with 25 miles to a lap.

ARIZONA GOVERNOR  
VISITS MEN IN HOSPITAL

PHOENIX, Ariz., Dec. 25.—Accompanied by a jazz band and a couple of singers and dancers, Governor and Mrs. Thomas E. Campbell spent Christmas afternoon carrying brightness and good cheer to invalid former service men in local hospitals. Governor and Mrs. Campbell greeted the patients with the warmest of the hand of each invalid veteran and engaging him in conversation. The last place visited was the state hospital for the insane where 13 former service men were listed as "mental cases" as a result of shell shock.

THREE PERSONS KILLED  
BY ASPHYXIATING GAS

ST. PAUL, Dec. 25.—Three persons, were asphyxiated by coal gas in their homes here today morning, after they had finished their Christmas dinner. Their bodies were discovered by a relative who had come to extend Xmas greetings.

The dead were: Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Higginson, 64 years old, and Miss Betty Higginson, 24, sister of the painter, the "Lease Plume" for the Higginson. The condition of the dining room table indicated that they had just completed dinner when they were overcome by gas.

CHRISTMAS SPIRIT  
SOFTENS HEART OF  
BOLD HIGHWAYMAN

SPOKANE, Wash., Dec. 25.—The spirit of Christmas had a sufficiently softening influence on the heart of a highwayman who held up and robbed R. F. Walker, a railroad switchman of Pocatello, Idaho, of \$45 here last night to force him to return \$2.

CHRISTMAS IN STRIKE  
DISTRICT CONTROLLED  
BY MILITARY FORCES

WILLIAMSON, W. Va., Dec. 25.—The first public assembly in Williamson since the Tug river coal district was placed under military control November 25 was permitted by the military tonight about the community Xmas tree.

Soldiers on strike duty, mountaineers and residents of Williamson gathered about the tree erected in the court house yard and through "organized direction," held services and sang Xmas songs.

SENATOR CHAMBERLAIN  
RESTING COMFORTABLY

WASHINGTON, Dec. 25.—Senator Chamberlain of Oregon was said to be resting comfortably tonight at the hospital where he underwent an operation "physician" said that if his progress continued, he expected to perform within two or three days the second operation necessitated by his condition.

WOULD PROMOTE POLICEMAN  
WHO KILLS HOLDUP MAN

CHICAGO, Dec. 25.—Announcement that he would introduce a plan at Wednesday's city council meeting to make immediate promotion the reward for every patrolman or sergeant who kills a burglar or holdup man in the act of committing a crime was made tonight by Alderman J. O. Keeler. "I believe it is what the force needs," he said, "although it may seem a little cold blooded. Chief Fitzmorris has given it his approval."

CHANK GIVES CRUST OF  
BREAD FOR GOVERNMENT

CHICAGO, Dec. 25.—A large crust of dry bread, spread an inch thick with butter to which was attached a card bearing the words, "Here comes something for needy government old people," was found in a package from a mysterious "Uncle Sam" opened at the federal building today, according to postoffice officials. They said this was the 30th similar package received within the last three months.

Postoffice authorities are of the opinion, they said, that the person sending the package is a crank. They added that he had wasted several dollars in stamps.

BUSINESSMEN LEAVES  
SCENE OF ITALIAN BLOCKADE

VENICE, Dec. 24.—Among the Americans who left Fiume since the declaration of a state of war was Russell Corbitt, a Los Angeles business man. D'Annunzio signed a special permit for him, writing across the passport "leave Fiume for ever to return to his own country."

The post had placed the defense of Fiume under Captain Hostenrath.

SANTA CLAUS  
BRINGS GIFTS  
BY AIRPLANES

Discards Traditional Sled and  
Reindeer for More  
Modern Plan

DISABLED SOLDIERS  
HAPPY IN WASHINGTON

Disarmament Demonstration  
Conducted by Women's  
Peace League at  
Capitol

WASHINGTON, Dec. 25.—Santa Claus, because of lack of snow discarded his traditional sled and reindeer today to arrive here by airplane. Escorted by two other planes, each bearing gifts and assisted by soldiers, he distributed toys to hundreds of children who had gathered in anticipation of his coming. It was said that he had obtained a loan of the aircraft from the war department.

Wounded and disabled service men at the Walter Reed hospital were remembered by the Red Cross who provided them with gifts and an entertainment of music, and motion pictures. The presents were distributed from a number of huge Christmas trees.

A demonstration on disarmament was conducted by the Women's Peace society at the Franklin monument late today. The program was delivered by Mrs. Robert M. La Follette, wife of the senator from Wisconsin.

"It is not for the restoration of the weapons of war or any of the insignia of military," said Mrs. La Follette, "that the women of Germany are appealing to the mercy of the allies. No, they are only asking that their milk cows on which they depend for the lives of their starving children be not taken from them."

"And in this heartrending appeal they have the sympathy of the sisterhood of the world. There is the elemental cry that moves women to action. We women want the starving fed, the blockades lifted, trade restored, friendship renewed, mutual forgiveness, peace and good will on earth again."

Mrs. LaFollette declared that the women would vote to defeat senators and congressmen to stand "for war and militarism."

"We women have the power," she said. "On the issue of militarism we hold the balance of power. We have the ballot. We propose to be practical. We are going to watch congress. And here on this day, precious to the hearts of the Christian world, at the very door of the capitol of our beloved nation we vow to use our vote to defeat senators and representatives in congress who stand for war and militarism and to elect senators and representatives who stand for peace and disarmament."

EX-GERMAN EMPRESS  
HAS SERIOUS ATTACK

DOORN, Holland, Dec. 25.—The Christmas celebration at the home of the ex-german empress was interrupted by the serious condition of the former German empress who suffered an attack of her malady, and the emperor had to excuse himself to go to the bedside.

# WHEAT LOANS WILL BRING MUCH MONEY INTO LOCAL TRACT

Dr. John H. White Tells of Means of Association Taking Advantage of Loan.

Approximately \$500,000 in cash money will be brought into the Twin Falls tract before the last of March, according to Dr. John H. White, president of the Twin Falls county branch of the Idaho Wheat Growers' association, through members of the organization taking advantage of the loan of 1 per bushel on their wheat being offered by the Globe Milling company of Ogden.

Dr. White states that more than 250,000 bushels have already been shipped out, and that 300,000 bushels more are in prospect.

At a recent conference in Salt Lake with the officials of the Federal reserve system there, all connections were made and warehouse facilities arranged for. The wheat is weighed in here and also reweighed at Ogden, where it is graded and docked by a federal inspector, and a warehouse receipt is issued on that particular car.

With the warehouse receipt as security a loan of 1 a bushel is secured through the Globe Milling company from the Utah National bank at Ogden, bearing interest at 8 1/2 per cent annum and running for 90 days. This paper is then discounted by the federal reserve bank at Salt Lake.

The association has complied with all the details exacted by the federal reserve, and up to the present time over 200,000 bushels have been shipped. Farmers in Jerome county have coupled with the local shipping. Dr. White declares, while these in Bannock county are considering doing the same thing.

The committee handling the proposition for the organization has adopted the sale policy of disposing of 20,000 bushels at a time, thus taking advantage of any sudden bulge in the market. When the pool is close near the end of March the average price obtained from all sales will be disbursed to the farmers.

In order to comply with the regulations of the federal reserve, it is necessary for the association to give assurances that they would liquidate as fast as possible, and as it will take 90 days to finish the shipping, liquidation will be taking place during all of that time. All of the wheat

Dr. White stated, will be disposed of by the last of March.

Out of the \$1 received on wheat, the organization takes 5 cents to handle, loading, general organization and bookkeeping items, and when the grain reaches Ogden there is also a 7-cent charge for unloading. The Globe Milling company stands for all freight and transportation charges. When sum is taken from the final settlement when the wheat is disposed of, there is no loss in freight charges as the grain will bring a premium there as cash wheat.

No charge is made for the first 10 days' storage at Ogden, but after that time has passed the elevator charge is one and one-half cents per bushel per month. Donald McLean is handling the shipping and John Wolfenden is looking after the accounting and bookkeeping.

## MAY PLACE TAX OF 15 PER CENT ON PROFITS

WASHINGTON, Dec. 25.—Congressman J. W. Fordney, chairman of the ways and means committee is expected to advocate a corporation tax of 15 per cent on profits with no modifications or exceptions.

Arguments are being presented to members of the committee in support of the idea that if a retail sale tax is levied it takes the form of a monthly payment by a firm on its total volume of sales.

The National Automobile Chamber of Commerce is sending out a questionnaire. Its purpose is to lay the foundation for opposition to any further increases of taxation on the automobile industry. The argument is made that the industry cannot support heavier burdens.

## NO DECISION MADE.

OKLAHOMA CITY, Dec. 24.—No final decision has been made by Governor Robertson on the question of directing the attorney general to participate in the prosecution of Clara Smith Hamon, the governor said tonight. Governor Robertson said he has the matter under consideration.

## WILL ISSUE BONDS

AKRON, Ohio, Dec. 24.—Stockholders of the Goodyear Tire and Rubber company today voted to authorize directors to issue \$50,000,000 in bonds. Directors will report December 29 on their efforts to sell the issue. It was understood that a group of New York bankers has undertaken to underwrite the issue.

## BELIEVE NAVAL AERONAUTS SAFE IN CANADIAN WILDS

NEW YORK, Dec. 25.—Confidence that the three naval balloonists missing all of that time. All of the wheat

along nearly two weeks are safe in the wilds of Canada and may have to wait for weeks before establishing communication with the Rockaway naval air station was expressed today in a telegram from Lieutenant A. W. Evans from Ottawa.

## MEANINGS OF COLORS

'Symbolism of colors, whether displayed in dresses, the background of pictures, or otherwise, is as follows:

- Rose, martyrdom.
- Pale green, baptism.
- Purple, justice, royalty.
- Gold, glory and power.
- Black typifies grief, death.
- Silver, chastity and purity.
- Gray is the shade of penance and of sin.
- Red, martyrdom for faith, charity; in dress, divine love.
- Violet is love and truth, but also passion and suffering.
- Serriet, the fervor and glory of witness to the church.
- White is the token of life, light, innocence, purity, faith, and joy.

Pale blue, peace, prudence, love of good works, a serene conscience.

Purple is the color of royalty, loyalty, and things true to celestial origin.

Blue, hope, love of divine works; in dress, divine contemplation, piety, sincerity.

Green, faith, gladness, immortality, the resurrection of the just; in dress, the gladness of the faithful.

When a Sioux Indian courts a girl he paints his eyes blue and yellow and she paints hers red, as these are the lucky colors for love.

These are colors for the months: January, crimson; February, heliotrope; March, dark blue; April, gray; May, pink; June, white; July, light blue; August, yellow; September, indigo; October, golden brown; November, dark brown; December, green.

## POINTED PARAGRAPHS

- All men love power, but few know how to use it.
- The luteless-faced gossip laves wielded a hammer.
- One job on your hands is better than two in your mind.
- A little in a man's hand is no proof of religion in his heart.
- More men would become famous if they didn't attempt to write poetry.
- It is difficult to greet misfortune with a smile when it is always frowning.
- Women love secrets because of the pleasure they derive from letting them escape.
- After choosing his own boss many a man is disappointed—so to the divorce court for him.
- It takes a cute girl to get so close to a man that when he tries to kiss her it is impossible for her to get away.
- The average woman makes a strenuous effort to discover her husband's faults for the purpose of hiding them from others.—Chicago News.

## OPEN NEW SERVICE

HAMBURG, Dec. 24.—The Gulf line is to open a new steamship service from Hamburg to ports on the west coast South America by way of the Strait of Magellan.

## REMOVAL OF OFFICE

Dr. Charles H. Scott announces the removal of his office to the Idaho State bank.—Adv.

# Churches Today

Services today at the First Presbyterian church will be as usual, morning worship at 11 o'clock and evening worship at 7:30 o'clock. At the morning service the pastor will speak on "When Jesus Was Here," while his sermon, theme in the evening, will be "The Quest for the Golden Mean."

There will be special music at both services, under the direction of Mrs. O. P. Duval.

Service today at the First Church of Christ, Scientist, will be at 11 a. m. the subject of the sermon being "Christian Science." Sunday school will be at 10 o'clock a. m. for pupils up to 20 years of age. On Wednesday there will be a testimonial meeting at 8 o'clock p. m. A reading room at 131-1/2 Main avenue north, where Christian Science literature may be secured, is open daily, except Sunday and holidays, from 1:30 to 4:30 p. m.

There will be special music at both of the regular services at the First Methodist church today, and in addition to these services there will be school of the Epworth devotionals at 6 o'clock in the afternoon, at which by his father, Colonel J. C. Coolidge, an address will be delivered by Mrs. G. Blue. At the morning service the pastor will preach on "The Fine Art

of Growing Old," his theme in the evening being "Resolutions and the New Year."

W. A. Moore, pastor at the Christian church, will preach at both the 11 o'clock a. m. and the 7:30 p. m. services today, his theme at the former being "Holiday Reflections," and at the latter, "Is Jesus Divine or Simply a Man?" Mrs. J. E. White will render a solo in the morning, while a male quartet and Mrs. C. E. Oliver will sing at night.

There will be a special children's service at the Church of the Assumption today at 10 o'clock a. m., with a sermon by the Rev. Charles Glenn Bair, the rector. The junior choir will sing at this service. Morning service with sermon, as usual at 11 o'clock. On "Holy Innocents' day," Tuesday, December 28, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, there will be a special baptismal service.

## VICE PRESIDENT-ELECT SPENDS XMAS QUIETLY

NORTHAMPTON, Mass., Dec. 25.—The vice president-elect, Governor Coolidge, had a quiet family observance of Xmas at his home in this city. With Mrs. Coolidge, the governor came from Boston last night to spend Christmas eve and today with his two sons who are in school at here, and today, they were joined 6 o'clock in the afternoon, at which by his father, Colonel J. C. Coolidge, an address will be delivered by Mrs. G. Blue. At the morning service the pastor will preach on "The Fine Art

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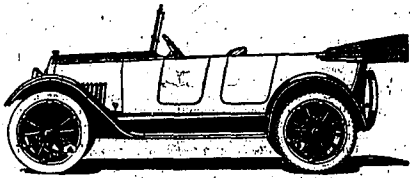
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TWIN FALLS

## FRECKLES AND HIS FRIEND.

BY BLOSSER




GET, CLIM-DO! I SAID WHEN I WAS A LITTLE BABY I HAD A HUNDRED BOYS—HONEST!



WHAT'S TH' MATTER WITH HIM? CAN'T HE SEE? HE'S GOT BOYS ALL OVER HIS NECK!

SEE WHILKERS!



WELL, SLIM, YOU'RE HAVING A HARD TIME WITH ALL YOUR BOYS AREN'T YOU? WHERE ON EARTH DID YOU GET ALL OF THEM?

I DON'T KNOW.



I DO—I SAW THEM DOWN NEAR TH' FOUNDRY LAST WEEK PLAYIN' WITH A OLD BOILER!

## COLLEGE TEAMS TO COMPETE IN SEED JUDGING

State University and Oregon Agricultural College to Seed Teams to Nampa Exhibit.

BOISE, Ida., Dec. 25.—One of the added attractions at the state seed show held at Nampa, January 10 to 14 inclusive, will be the college seed judging contest, according to C. F. Ahlson, assistant field agronomist of the extension division. It has been customary to send stock judging teams from the various colleges to the livestock shows. This year the directors of the Idaho Seed Growers' association voted to include in their program a seed judging contest between the colleges of the northwest. This will be an annual event.

The team will consist of three men each. The University of Idaho and Oregon Agricultural college will be the contestants this year. Utah and Washington finding conditions such as to make it impossible to compete. There will be twelve classes of seeds to judge—wheat, oats, barley, alfalfa, red clover, dent corn, Netted Gems, Idaho Puma, peas, beans, timothy, white clover. All classes will be judged on the basis of their value for seedling purposes and each class will consist of four samples to be placed in order of merit.

A large loving cup will be given to the team winning the contest. The cup will remain the permanent property of the actual winning three times. Until then, it is to be returned at request of the secretary previous to the annual show.

The Bonner county seed, potato growers, the Blaine county grain, alfalfa, growers and the Twin Falls wheat growers will present cups to the teams winning the potato, alfalfa and grain judging contests, respectively. In addition, an official medal of the association will be presented to the first, second and third high point man in the contest of the 12 classes.

Arrangements have been completed for the sending of three federal vocational teams to the seed show, each one from Idaho, Oregon and Washington. As large quantities of high quality seed will be available at the seed show, it is expected that this contest will prove highly educational to the men who represent the various colleges, as well as to onlookers.

## SINGLE ACT OF DRUNKENNESS NOT CAUSE OF DISCHARGE

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—A single act of drunkenness is not sufficient under the laws of New York state to justify the discharge of an employee who is under contract, two justices of the supreme court held in a decision today. A third justice dissented and declared a single act of drunkenness during business hours "is inexcusable."

The decision was given at an appellate term of the supreme court, in suit brought by Frederick W. Herbert, a real estate agent, against his employers who had discharged him because he was found drunk. The case previously was tried in the city court and dismissed. Herbert appealed. The decision today directed a new trial upon which the court held the question should be left to a jury.

Justice McLean, in the majority decision, held that the "courts are not warranted in attempting to create and enforce a standard other than that set by the average of mankind in the community."

"The day may come," he added, "when intoxication will be such a cause for disgrace that a single instance of it will be sufficient to justify the discharge of a servant by his master because of it, as a rule."

## Foiling Smuggler by Using X-Ray



NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—New commercial uses are being found for the X-ray.

Where a short time ago the radiograph was used practically altogether for surgical and other scientific work, now it is being employed in many lines from manufacturing to pearl fishing.

Manufacturers are using the X-ray to test machinery for defects. Exporters are using it to find out whether thieves have substituted bricks or rocks for valuable merchandise which packing boxes are supposed to contain—as thieves have frequently done here in the past year.

Customs officials have tested the radiograph for searching smugglers suspected of concealing valuables in their clothing—particularly in the people and soles of their shoes.

In Ceylon pearl fishers are using radiographs to test oysters. If the pearls may develop to greater size.

## HOUSTON FAVORS WITHDRAWAL OF TAX EXEMPTION

Secretary of Treasury Declares Present Method Practically Gift of U. S. Tax Payers

WASHINGTON, Dec. 24.—Withdrawal of the tax exemption privilege from farm loan bonds issued in the future by joint stock land banks has been recommended to congress by Secretary Houston on the ground that these banks are organizations of private capital for commercial purposes in which the profits accrue to the benefit of the investing stockholders.

Ammonia to Gift  
Tax exemptions in the case of the joint stock land banks were declared by the secretary to amount to a gift at the expense of the government tax payers generally. The privilege, he said should not be continued with respect to the private mortgage companies, organized for private profit. This is emphasized, the secretary asserted, in this period of high taxes when the government has established the policy of subjecting its own securities to partial taxation and when the treasury cannot afford to dispense with any of the receipts which otherwise would accrue on account of taxes.

The withdrawal of the tax exemption features from farm loan bonds however, the secretary suggested, should be accompanied by an increase in the powers of the federal land banks to make any loans now authorized by joint stock land banks in order that, there be no curtailment of the financial benefits to agriculture provided by the farm loan act.

Act Should be Amended  
"In view of the absence of compensating benefits for the loss in revenue resulting from the extension of the tax exemption privilege to securities issued by institutions organized on an investment basis by private capital for gain," Secretary Houston continued, "I think that it should be borne in mind, however, that the joint stock land banks now in operation were organized under sanction under law with the approval of the government, in any legislation withdrawing the tax exemption features from farm loan bonds issued by joint stock land banks it would appear to be necessary, however, to make provision to safeguard joint stock land banks already issued as well as the interest of existing joint stock land banks."

During the past fiscal year, the secretary said, 27 joint stock land banks were in active operation making loans in the aggregate of \$25,470 to 3,248 borrowers.

a ruling of Judge Frank R. Willis of the Portland club for the trade of the Los Angeles superior court of Marty Krug, second baseman, for today, when he dismissed indictments Salt Lake for Paddy Sligin, Portland charging W. Baker (Babe) Dorton, keystone former member of the Vernon club. The trade, it is announced, was of the Pacific coast baseball league; an over-terms player-for-player, with only the condition that each player must accept the proffered salary of Krug came to Salt Lake from Omaha the spring of 1919, by purchase.

Judge Willis not only sustained demurrers filed by attorneys for Dorton and Magner, but held that defects in the indictments could not be cured for by a sub-commission of matter to the Los Angeles county grand jury.

Willis was said to mean the end of the case so far as any criminal prosecution was concerned, the exonerated of the ball and dismissal of the charges against the four accused men.

Judge Willis said the players in signing contracts with the team had entered into an agreement to play baseball to the best of their ability. But he continued, admitting, for the sake of argument they had not done so. Their act amounted only to a breach of oral contract and he held was in no way "actionable as a criminal cause."

He declared that the crime of the men, if they were guilty, was most reprehensible, but there was no remedy along the lines of criminal prosecution.

## IMMIGRANTS AT ELLIS ISLAND TO OVERFLOWING

NEW YORK, Dec. 4.—Christmas found Ellis Island packed with an overflow of 12,000 held aboard ships awaiting to be landed and all immigrants entitled to land will be allowed to leave at once being taken to Ellis Island.

Commissioner Wallis sent additional inspectors aboard the ships this morning to accelerate the work and all immigrants entitled to land will be allowed to leave at once being taken to Ellis Island.

## TO HOLD WATCH PARTY

Area Temple No. 200 of Pontefello and Anna Temple No. 121 of Lewis, ten D. O. K. K. will have representatives here for the watch party to be held on New Year's eve. All Pythians and Pythian Sisters are to be the guests at the entertainment which is being planned for the occasion.

## TENDLER CONTINUES WINNING

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 24.—Law Tandler of this city, substituting for Henry Leonard, stopped Chick Sullivan President Lane of the Salt Lake base, ball club, Pacific coast league, has announced that an agreement has been reached with Judge McCordle Chronicle Want Ads, bring result's.

## SALT LAKE CLUB TO GET NEW PLAYERS

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# STAGE

Twin Falls

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DAILY

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## ON BEING CONTENTED.

Isaac Walton tells of a man who had several beautiful manions and often moved from one to the other. A friend asked him why he moved so frequently from one home to the other, to which the restless man replied: "It is to find content in some one of them."

But his friend told him: "If you would find content in any one of your homes, you must leave yourself behind you; for content will never dwell but in the meek and quiet soul."

Yet, though contentment has been defined and honored thus in prose and poetry, how many men know it when they meet it? Two think we know what contentment is, but when we attain the things that we were sure would make us contented, we find no contentment in them.

Vandemonium, we strive to attain contentment by being as discontented as possible with what fortune has given us, like the man who moved from house to house.

And most men, struggling for contentment, all their lives, never learn that contentment is neither a place nor a physical condition, but a spiritual gift that in every man awaits cultivation.

Contentment is inside; not outside.

## ASK ANOTHER RE rendition OF MESSIAH BY SINGERS

Following the presentation of Handel's great oratorio, "The Messiah," at Parish hall on Christmas eve, many requests are being made that another rendition be arranged in the immediate future.

The presentation of Friday night was a distinct and unqualified success and was greatly appreciated by the large crowd of local music lovers who overflowed the hall on that occasion. Members of the Singers' club which gave the rendition, are as follows:

Soprano—Miss Sara Thomas, Mrs. T. J. Woods, Mrs. O. P. Duval, Mrs. L. E. Stansell, Mrs. W. H. Dwight, Mrs. J. B. White, Mrs. D. H. Churchill, Mrs. C. H. Laarte, Miss Annie Smith, Miss Jessie Sayre, Miss Edith Creel, Miss Alice Taylor.

Altos—Mrs. Bracken, Mrs. Whitcomb, Mrs. F. S. Bell, Mrs. McCullough, Mrs. W. Zonia Smith, Mrs. Cree, Miss Martha Andrews, Miss Hughes and Miss Itegaus.

Tenors—D. A. Salmon, Clarence N. Beatty, George Harvey, W. F. McKee, and Harry Barrett, Conductor.

Bass—Volney Hayward, Elmer Olsen, Lloyd Patrick, Sidney Johnston and James S. Hall.

## REPORTS OF UNDERSTANDING SAID TO BE ERONIOUS

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 25.—Recently published reports that the state department had come to an understanding with Japan regarding Japanese was appropriated in Tokyo, Japanese language newspapers in along the Pacific coast and afterward were given general publication throughout the United States, were erroneous according to V. S. McClatchy, Sacramento publisher.

Mr. McClatchy today told of his conference at Washington, as representative of the Japanese exclusion league with Secretary of State Colby, Roland S. Morris, ambassador to Japan now on duty at the state department, and other officials.

The reports, the publisher said, were "circulated in Japan evidently for the purpose of making a better public feeling there prior to the California election."

"It was generally conceded that the California election had been passed by a large majority, and the Japanese public was induced to accept the result philosophically on the theory that the Japanese ambassador had already recognized with our state department the terms of a treaty under which the effect of the California law would be nullified. That would seem to be the incentive for the statement as published in Japan."

## CLAIM FRENCH PEOPLE SHOW REVOLUTIONARY INCREASE

TOURS, France, Dec. 25.—What was termed the strong increase in the revolutionary temper of the French people and preliminary indications that the French socialists favor affiliation with the Third (Moscow) International by 2 to 1, were the outstanding features of reports read at the first session of the French socialist party congress today. A signifi-

cant phase of the reports, was the statement that the socialist and revolutionary spirit has gained great strength in the agricultural districts of France.

The congress opened this morning with 350 delegates representing 80,000 members of the party. It was decided to take up immediately the question of joining the Moscow International, although this question was last on the program. The delegates will vote by mandate, having received their instructions from their constituents.

Opposition to the parliamentary group, which is composed of 60 socialist members of the chamber of deputies, continues to grow, and it appears certain the party will be split which that action on the motion to accept unconditionally admission to the third International comes up.

The delegates attributed the revolutionary spirit to general disquiet conditions, world wide unrest and discontent with things as they are.

## The Applan Way.

The Applan way is the oldest and most famous of the Roman military roads. It was commenced by Appianus Claudius Cæcilius, while censor, in 312 B. C. and originally extended from the Porta Capena at Rome to Capua, a distance of 120 miles. In 30 B. C., the Applan way was continued to Brundisium, 320 miles from Rome, by means of the branch which connected Rome with all southern Italy. During the rule of Pope Pius IX (1846-1878) a part of this road, extending about eleven miles out of Rome, was laid bare. It is remarkable for its pavement, which consists of large hexagonal blocks of basalt; but more especially for the ruins of the once magnificent temple that line its side. The central part of the roadway, 10 feet wide, was designed for the passage of infantry, while the two side passages, each also 10 feet wide, were used for horsemen and vehicles. The Romans called the Applan way Regia Viarum (Queen of Roads).

## CZECHS ENJOY REAL FREEDOM AND INDUSTRY

PILSEN, Czechoslovakia.—Nothing better illustrates the reality of the freedom won by Czechoslovakia than the state of affairs at the famous Skoda steel works, the birthplace of the "Big Bertha."

Here, during the war, Bohemian workmen, under the lash of the Austrians, were compelled to fashion guns and make ammunition to be used against their "brothers," the Serbs and Russians, and their "friends," the Allies.

Make Articles of Peace  
Today 15,000 happy workmen are busy making steam-plows, tractors, locomotives and other "big" and other articles of peace.

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May I remind Americans that

# OUTBURSTS OF EVERETT TRUE



Skoda is not the only thing that gave fame to Pilsen? There is a refreshing fluid, brewed here, of world-wide repute, spelled H-E-C-C-E-R.

The noted "capital" district is the center of some of the most famous glass works in Bohemia. Nearly all the cut glass bottles, for American perfume come from this part of the world.

Czechoslovakia is both a manufacturing and a producing country. Want Credit, Cash?

What the country wants are facilities for getting its plenitude of sugar, its glass and porcelain, its leather and textile manufactures, its cotton and wool and linen products out of the unfair duties which, within the power of the economy, by whom it is imposed in Germany, Austria and Hungary—to impose.

It also wants credit from America and the allies, and coal so that it can get to work on full time.

These cash price paid for poultry, Independent Market, Twin Falls.

May 1 remind Americans that

## WOULD TELL WORLD TRUTH OF DOMINICAN OCCUPATION

BUENOS AIRES, Dec. 24.—The Montevideo newspapers publish interviews with Francisco Henriquez Carvajal, former provisional president of Santo Domingo and his nephew, Henriquez y Urena, who are touring South America with the announced purpose of conducting a campaign against military occupation by the United States of their country. They say they desire to make known to the world the truth of the happening in Santo Domingo before and after American occupation.

La Manana quotes the former pre-

ident as saying that the isolation of the Dominican republic is so great that not even in official circles in the United States are known the details of the situation which he is convinced has been "brought about without the consent of the American people and against their democratic sentiments."

"Only a limited number of diplomatic functionaries in direct contact with the navy department," he continues, "possess knowledge of the question, which they try not to divulge. It is not for casual allusion to the affair by President-elect Harding the tombsence silence would still weigh on the Dominican people."

The former president and his nephew assert that reports of the ill-treatment of Dominicans by United States marines are "absolutely true." They make numerous and other charges against the occupation forces, but say they are convinced the wrongs will be rectified and that the liberty and sovereignty of Santo Domingo will be restored.

The two travelers declare their intention of visiting Rio Janeiro, Buenos Aires and Pacific coast cities.

## RAILROAD TO AID EMPLOYEES MAKE STOCK INVESTMENTS

By a circular of the president, bearing date of December 25, 1920, the Union Pacific system has announced a plan approved by the board of directors whereby employees, or vice versa, may purchase the common capital stock of the Union Pacific Railroad company in the market upon a partial payment basis.

The plan makes provision for the purchase of stock in the open market

by the railroad company upon receipt of an order from all employees, the latter in turn to pay for the shares in 24 equal installments, to be deducted monthly from the payroll. This company will credit to the employee's account all dividends received and will share 8 per cent interest upon all deferred payments.

"For some time the Union Pacific stock has paid a dividend quarterly of 10 per share per annum; the range of its market price since October 21 last having been between 120.50 and 132. At a cost of \$125 per share this would allow a return equal to 8 per cent a year upon the amount invested. At the price of \$120 per share the return would be equal to 8.33 per cent."

The company states practically that it has no stock for sale and simply acts as an agent for the employees who wish to invest. It also emphasizes the fact that it does not urge employees to make stock purchases and makes no representation or guarantee as to future market prices or dividend policy and states that in offering this plan it is actuated by no motive except to enable employees to save and invest their savings in the stock of the company if they desire.

## POPE CELEBRATES MIDNIGHT MASSES ON CHRISTMAS EVE

ROME, Dec. 24.—The pope, celebrating the traditions of his predecessors, celebrated three midnight masses in the Pauline chapel, which was beautifully decorated with flowers and glittering with candles. All the members of the ecclesiastical lay court were present, together with the entire personnel of the Apostolic palace and a limited number of distinguished guests.

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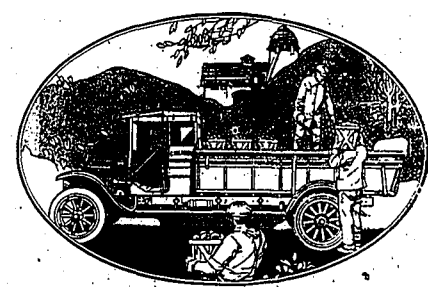
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Your Christmas is over but you still

have a great opportunity to bring Christmas joy and cheer into the hearts of the poor and needy children of the city through the medium of the Chronicle Green Stocking Club. Make response to this opportunity to show the real Christmas spirit, but there is still an ample supply of stockings left. All that you have to do is to call at the Chronicle office the next time you are downtown and get one of these stockings. Take it home with you and fill it with goodies, toys and games, and then return it to the Chronicle office.

The Chronicle will turn these

stockings over to the Salvation Army and they will be distributed to the poor children of the city at a big party to be held on Wednesday December 29, at the Parish hall. There will be a real Santa Claus and everything that is calculated to bring joy to the hearts of these unfortunate little tots whose guardians are unable to provide properly for them. The city band will give a concert and entertainment before the distribution takes place.

Hang a stocking on the big tree and share in the joy and enthusiasm of those who need your help.



## ARMY AVIATOR WINS BIG RACE AT LONG BEACH

Lieut. E. E. Bratten Wins Hayes Challenge Trophy in One Hundred Mile Race

LONG BEACH, Cal., Dec. 25.—Flying at a speed of 146.8 miles an hour, Lieutenant E. E. Bratten, U. S. A. aviator, today won the 100 mile race for all races for the Albert H. Hayes challenge trophy, the opening event of the three day national winter air tournament at Dougherty field here. Thirteen flyers started, 12 being army men. Eleven finished.

Lieutenant Bratten's time for the 100 miles, flown over a triangular course, was 49 minutes, 52 seconds. The order from which the other leaders finished and their time were: Captain L. H. Smith, 41 minutes, 37 seconds; Lieut. Harold Brand, 42 minutes; Lieut. Y. A. Pitts, 42 minutes; Lieut. Milo N. Gork, 42 minutes, 40 seconds.

Lieutenants A. Lee Foster and J. S. Worthington were forced to descend because of engine trouble. The flyer was aided on the long leg of the course by a strong tail wind. On the other legs they were protected from the wind by hills.

The first six machines to finish were American built, equipped with 400 horsepower liberty motors.

GERMAN MINISTER EXPRESSES HOPE FOR EARLY SETTLEMENT

FRANKFORT, Ger., Dec. 25.—Dr. Walter Simon, the German foreign minister in an article in the Frankfort Zeitung says that in the night, which covers Germany, he can see and are the second grand this year.

only one ray of light and that "comes from the land of the Stars and Stripes."

He expresses the belief that Senator Harding will "not delay the establishment of a peace basis with Germany" and thinks that this, more than anything else, would tend to revive the spirit and economic of the nation.

Although the outlook is very dark the foreign minister hopes that through patience and before long "the people that walk in darkness will see a great light."

## CHIMNEY WAS TOO SMALL FOR THIS SANTA CLAUS

EW YORK, Dec. 25.—(Santa Claus.) In this particular instance weighed 340 pounds, stuck here today while "proving" to three children that he's no myth and really comes down the chimney.

In the home of Alderman Frank J. Dotter, three youngsters were caught peeping beneath the comforts keeping a hawk eye on the fireplace and the stockings that hung from the mantel piece.

"I'll show 'em" said Santa. He fastened a pack of gifts on his back and started down the chimney. Half way down his girl made further passage impossible.

He shouted for help. A brick layer removed part of the chimney, a pack a toys was thrown violently to the floor and Alderman Dotter, removing his disguise said:

"You're right, kids, there ain't no Santa Claus."

GIVES SALARY BONUS

COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 25.—Salary bonuses amounting to more than \$100,000 today were given as Christmas presents to employees of the Columbus Dispatch and the Ohio State Journal and other employees of Robert F. and Harry P. Wolfe, of this city. The bonuses covered the six months period ending January 1, which covers Germany, he can see and are the second grand this year.

## AFFECTS EXCHANGE IN INDIA

Brokers and Currency Dealers Find Business Greatly Influenced by the Marriage Season

Among the influences which affect the currency of a country, probably none but experts in exchange would be inclined to include marriage and giving in marriage, says the Detroit Free Press.

Yet it is a fact that the Indian marriage season, which comes in May, does actually have an adverse effect on the rate of exchange in India, just as the exports of wheat and grain from India form another source of influence which turns exchange in favor of India.

Customs in India dictates that the bridegroom, or his father, should give gold and silver ornaments to the bride at the time of the marriage. These ornaments are called "mangtika" and they represent, in reality, a marriage settlement. They are the woman's absolute property, and she naturally preserves them with great care.

At the marriage time the great "tamasha," or festival given to the immediate relatives and followers of the two families, and this, of course, necessitates a lavish expenditure of silver. Bankers, brokers and Eastern exchange dealers have found by experience that the coming of the marriage season in India is heralded by a demand for a vast amount of silver currency, and they accordingly take steps in advance to enable them to meet it.

MUST KNOW DIAMOND'S GRAIN

Point of Cleavage Has to Be Determined Before Color Begins Work on Stone.

In the diamond there is a "grain" in the rough stone, which grain is parallel to any of the triangular faces of the octahedral crystal. The stones in the rough are examined for perfection and unsorted for sizes. The largest stones are given very close inspection for flaws and carbon spots. When these are found it may be desirable to split the stone into several smaller pieces, to eliminate the flaw and secure stones of more marketable size. It behooves an individual known as a "cleaver," to know thoroughly the grain of the diamond in the rough. Sometimes days are taken to decide on the cleavage in order to get the largest and best results—a mark is placed upon the diamond with pen and ink, a tiny groove is ground into it and the stone mounted on the end of a holder with the sharp edge of another diamond. A knife about six inches by one inch high is now inserted into the groove or on top of the line, and with a quick blow the diamond separates easily along its grain.—Electrical Experimenter.

The Why of Jayhawkers.

"Wild's Annals of Kansas" gives this history of the word: "One autumn morning in this year (1850) Pat Devlin, a Free State Irishman, rode into Lawrence on a horse heavily laden with many kinds of goods. 'Have you been foraging, Pat?' 'Yes, I've been jayhawking.' In Ireland we have a bird we call the jayhawk; it worries its prey before devouring it; and jayhawking is a good name for the business I've been in.' This is the only known origin of the word. Colonel Jennison, early in the war (between the pro-slavery and free state forces) called himself and his soldiers jayhawkers, and the name soon came to be applied to all Kansans. Others attribute the word to Col. Charles R. Jennison, one of the Free State leaders, claiming that he 'coined' it. 'Jayhawking' was the term used to describe the depredations of the Kansans and they were called 'Jayhawkers,' as the term 'Border Ruffians' was applied to the Missouri pro-slavery men.

How Physicians Get Rich.

Jones is no more of a hypocrite than other people, but he was heard talking to himself as follows: "Here I am eating my usual diet of fried food, canned meats, doughnuts, pie, wine, tea and coffee. It makes me sore to even think of wholesome foods like bread, eggs and milk. My stomach must be in a frightful condition; I'll go and see a doctor."

Later at the doctor's office he explained: "Doctor, although I feel A. No. 1 my diet has been such that I feel sure it must have injured my digestion. Please examine me thoroughly and then tell me if you honestly think I am in need of the services of the profession which affords you a livelihood."

Science in Warfare.

A novel use in war of a sensitive heat-registering apparatus served in detecting hostile raiding parties moving at night in No Man's Land. In a paper to the American Physical Society, S. O. Hoffman described the receiver as a thermopile placed at the focus of a 14-inch parabolic mirror, and connected to a D'Arsonval galvanometer. This device proved capable of detecting a man 600 feet away by the heat of his body. Bore thus does efficient service in guarding trenches, this heat detector is suggested as the basis of a new kind of secret signaling at short range.

Valuable Knowledge.

Guard with yourself a treasure, kindness. Know how to give without hesitation, know how to love without reward, how to acquire without mean guile. Know how to replace in your heart the happiness that may be wanting in yourself.—F. W. Faber.

## NEW YORK CRIMINALS

### SPEND XMAS AT HOME

NEW YORK, Dec. 25.—New York's cortege of criminals-at-large with one exception, spent Christmas at home, police reports indicated today.

Police officials claimed the apparent cessation of outlaws bore out the prediction of Commissioner Enright that the recent bustling activity of the lawless was nothing more than an Xmas drive for "their wives and kiddies."

One burglary, believe to have been perpetrated this morning at about the same time Santa Claus was negotiating the last chimney was reported. Diamonds, jewelry bonds and money, the value of which has been undetermined were taken from the safe of a wholesale clothing merchant in East Fourteenth street.

EDDIE COMES "WITHIN AFE" OF BEING ARRESTED

COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 25.—Eddie Rickenbacher, premier American ace, came "within an ace" of spending Xmas in a Chicago jail, instead of nice "Dalmatia," says a dispatch to

with his mother in this city, he told friends.

Eyroute east from California, Rickenbacher registered at a Chicago hotel. The clerk believing him to be the fake "Eddie Rickenbacher" who was married in Jacksonville, Fla., early this week and who was alleged to have disappeared later after having embezzled several thousand dollars called the house detective to arrest him.

After much explanation, Rickenbacher convinced the police that he was the real Eddie Rickenbacher and he finally was released.

TO POSTPONE TAXES

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 25.—Postponement until June 15 of federal tax payments due March 15 is being considered as a feature of the republicans' emergency tax program. It's the intention of leaders in congress to bring it forward at "the psychological moment."

SLAV "THAIFOR" HANGED TO TREE IN DALMATIA

ROME, Dec. 25.—A Slav has been found hanged to a tree near Rebeccino, Dalmatia, says a dispatch to

the Idea Nazionale from Zara with a note pinned to his breast which read: "Thus traitors are punished."

The man has been a customs guard under Austrian rule and passed to the service of Italy.

Several convents in Dalmatia have been requisitioned by the Serbians according to the newspaper's advice, to house troops of General Wrangel's army.

KU KLUX KLAN PARADES

COLUMBUS, Ga., Dec. 25.—White robed figures paraded tonight and scattered circulars which read: "Warning undesirable both black and white, we are after you. We know you—take warning—this loading, thieving and prowling around has got to stop. Ku Klux."

SAFE NOT SAFE

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Dec. 25.—Burglars looted the safe in the sheriff's office in the county jail here some time last night and took \$1,750 which had been placed there for safe keeping by Joseph Zuber, turnkey. It was announced tonight.

Chronicle Want Ads. bring results.

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# SPORTS

**BASANTA SINGH FINE SHAPE FOR LEWIS MATCH**

According to a wire received yesterday by Huala, promoter of the match which will be staged here on December 30, between Cliff Lewis and Basanta Singh, from the latter's champion is in the best condition in years. Singh will arrive here the manager, Henry Weber, the Hindu day before the match. Mr. (tuch) These two grapplers met about a year ago in a finish match in Portland, Basanta Singh getting the decision after a long and hard fought struggle. Lewis is determined to reverse the verdict at this meeting, however, and is in the best of trim. Both of the men are well known throughout the country, Lewis being the light heavyweight champion of the Pacific coast although he is only a middleweight Basanta Singh recently wrestled for two hours to a draw with Ted Tye, who with Ira Bern is considered the cream of the middleweight class in this country.

**FITZSIMMONS SCORES KNOCKOUT**  
NEWARK, N. J., Dec. 25.—"Young Bob" Fitzsimmons, son of the late Bob Fitzsimmons, former world's heavyweight champion, scored a technical knockout here today in the fourth round of a scheduled 12 round match with Jim Monahan of New York.

Monahan was floored for a count of nine and Referee Sullivan stopped the bout. The men are light heavyweights.

**MOSBERG BEATS EDWARDS.**  
NEW YORK, Dec. 25.—Sam Mosberg, who won the world's Olympic lightweight boxing champion at Antwerp, received a judges' decision tonight in the second professional match of his career, a ten round bout with Paul Edwards. Both are New York boys. Mosberg weighed 134 1/2 and Edwards 132 1/2.

**TEMPLETON ELECTED COACH**  
STANFORD, University of California, Dec. 25.—"Dink" Templeton, one of the famous athletes produced at Stanford, has been named as varsity track coach for the coming season, it was announced today. He was a member of the football team the last time he was eligible for varsity competition.

**READY FOR TITLE RACE**  
BAKERSFIELD, Cal., Dec. 25.—Roscoe Saries, Ira Vail and Eddie Herne, noted automobile racing drivers, are ready to tug the steering wheel in the 100 mile match race for what is billed the dirt track championship. A purse and a diamond medal, offered by Barney



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Oldfield, is at stake. The race scheduled to have been held December 19, was postponed on account of rain.

**VIVIANI OPTIMISTIC OVER FUTURE OF NATION LEAGUE**

PARIS, Dec. 25.—Former Premier Rena Viviani spoke optimistically of the future of the league of nations today in giving an account to the foreign affairs committee of the chamber of the recent assembly of the league at Geneva at which he was a French delegate. France, he said, probably would not hesitate to present for consideration to the committee, on amendments to the covenant, the proposition of Leon Bourgeois to give the league an armed force. He declared that the league at the present time, must not be considered as destined solely by its own force to preserve the world from war, but expressed the opinion that those skeptical of its utility, were "quite wrong."

"I conceive the role of the league at present," M. Viviani continued, "to be that of a great moral unit that will be all the more powerful in proportion as it is prudent in its acts."

Asked regarding article ten of the league covenant, the former premier, after pointing out the universal character of the article, said:

"It is difficult for a country that does not want to receive to promise its aid in case of aggression upon no matter what part of the globe."

M. Viviani asked the members of parliament to support the young movement which "not only is the fruit of ideology but is imposed by in common and is susceptible of one becoming the greatest moral authority the world has ever known."

**SEATTLE HOCKEYISTS WIN**  
SEATTLE, B. C., Dec. 25.—Seattle's Metropolitan hockey team won an uphill contest from the Victoria Astorians, 4 to 3, in an extra period in the first match game of the season here today.

## Cloud Hangs Over Charley Herzog

There's something a wee bit queer in the case of Charley Herzog, Chicago's only infighter.

Charged openly by Hube Benton of offering him a sum of money to throw a bull game, Herzog has been resting under a cloud. At the gathering of the vice men in the east yesterday completely exonerated the Cub. This sort of half way clears the



matter up, but President Veck of the Chicago club says that whatever have been asked on Charley and if he is released "we will tell him why when the time comes."

Herzog is gratified to be given a clean slate by the National League, but he'd kinda like to know what the "why" is that Veck says here this afternoon.

It looks like Herzog escaped one cloud only to be again plunged into the mist.

He is a veteran of 14 years and wasn't up to his usual stride last year after a serious accident during spring training.

Yet the fact remains that a cloud is hanging over his still.

Rex Kinnell is spending the holidays with Miss Gail Musser.

**GREEN AWARDED DECISION**  
PITTSBURGH, Dec. 25.—Harry Greb, Pittsburgh, received the new-paper decision over Jeff Smith of Bayonne, N. J., in a ten round bout which he won by a unanimous decision.

Pete Civile, Pittsburgh, in his first professional bout, was defeated by Patsy Young in a six round preliminary bout. Civile was former amateur bantamweight champion.

**SISLER REFUSES MANAGERSHIP**  
ST. LOUIS, Dec. 25.—George Sisler, first baseman of the Browns and leading batsman of the American league has refused an offer to manage the club but has signed a "long term" contract to continue playing with the club.

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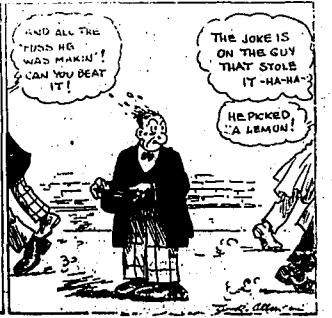
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## DOINGS OF THE DUFFS



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# HISTORY BOOKS ARE WANTED

Documentary Evidence Concerning Declaration of Independence and Lincoln's Early Days

The Declaration of Independence wasn't signed on July 4, 1776. Abraham Lincoln didn't dash off his famous Gettysburg address on an old eagle to be rode on the train to Gettysburg. Most likely, George Washington never chopped down the cherry tree. The manuscript division of the Library of Congress isn't sure about the cherry tree episode. The Declaration wasn't a letter about it, but it holds documentary evidence regarding the other vast legends of our school days, so the history books that were studied so faithfully were wrong.

The manuscript division of the original drafts of the Gettysburg speech, one carefully written on official White House stationery, partly in pencil, and the other in ink, both displaying Lincoln's well-known handwriting. The first draft after the revised copy differ slightly from the address as it was finally delivered.

As for the Declaration of Independence, the official journal of the Continental Congress for July 4, 1776, shows that on that day Congress adopted the declaration by vote, but the signing, which we make so much of, was deferred as unimportant. Most of the members signed the document a month later, while in 1781, five years later, some other congressmen who were not in office in 1776 also added their signatures, thereby gaining immortality.

# SIDON ONCE POWERFUL CITY

Metropolis of the Ancient Phoenicians  
Knew Domination of Three World-Ruling Races

Sidon, the metropolis of the ancient Phoenicians, was dominated first by the Egyptians, then the Pharaohs, then the Assyrians ruled with heavy hand. Later Phoenicia became a Roman province. Greek culture had a shaping influence on what the story of Sidon is in large degree the story of the ancients through a period when classic history was shaping.

Sidon was built on an island, but the shifting sands of the Mediterranean silted in the harbor and joined the island with the mainland, so that the site of the ancient city is now on a peninsula. The Sidonians, along with the Phoenicians in general, are a fascinating race of fishermen. The calling of the sea was directly responsible for the rise of the Phoenicians to a powerful place in the nations, the domination of the Mediterranean, the founding of Carthage, colonies in Spain and the threatening of Rome itself.

As early as the seventh century before Christ, the Sidonians had piloted their tiny craft, propelled by sails and banks of oars, around the world. Many of the archeological finds of Sidon have been preserved in the British museum and in the museum of Constantinople.

Longest World Tunnel.  
Among the longest tunnels in the world is the Alberg tunnel under the Alps, which is six and three-quarters miles long. The Detroit News states, "The tunnel tunnel in Colorado is five and one-half miles long. The tunnel in Massachusetts is four and three-quarters miles long. The Mont Cenis, in Italy and France, is eight miles long.

The Croton water tunnel in New York is 18 1/2 miles long, while the tunnel which drains the Freiberg mines, in Saxony, is 3 1/4 miles long. The Elb Chier tunnel, connecting Berlin, Germany, with Fort Bruno, Mecklenburg, is 10 miles long, and the St. Lawrence tunnel in the Wabash mountains is 50 miles long.

The Ark of the Covenant.  
The Ark of the Covenant was the sacred chest which the Lord directed Moses to make to contain the tables of the law which he had received on Mount Sinai. It was four and one-half feet long, two and one-fourth feet wide and two and one-fourth feet high. It was covered within and without with gold and was carried by staves inserted in rings on the corners. This Ark of the Covenant was the most sacred possession of the Israelites. It was placed in the holy of holies in the tabernacle and later in a similar position in Solomon's temple. The ark was carried from one place to another and what finally became of it is unknown.

Weighting Ice at Home.  
A close estimate of the weight of ice can be reached by multiplying together the length, breadth and thickness of the block in inches, and dividing the product by 30. This will be very closely the weight in pounds. Thus, if a block is 10 by 10 by 5, the product is 500 and this divided by 30 gives 16 2/3 pounds, correct result. This simple method can be easily applied, and it may serve to remove unjust suspicions, or to detect short weights.

Most Difficulties Gravelly.  
It is only half-heartedness that sits down and finds things hard and impossible. Courage glories in difficulties because by overcoming them it gains strength.

Imitation Pearls.  
The Japanese produce an imitation pearl by fastening a piece of mother-of-pearl in the shell of the pearly oyster and allowing it to remain there for a number of years.

# AUTOMOBILE GOSSIP

Operating the engine without sufficient water, or with no water at all, may result in injury to the spark plug.

Various substances may be used for lapping pistons, among them emery dust, ground glass and rotten stone.

The private garage owner may be glad to know that ordinary commercial ammonia is a valuable fire extinguisher.

A car owner who desires accuracy in his distance mileage should have the speedometer checked up at least once a year.

Brown shingle mixed with graphite makes an admirable cement for pipe joints and connections which are subjected to heat and compression.

Loose connection results in under-charged batteries. Hence it is essential that the driver see that wires always are kept tight to their fastenings.

In case your motor will not start, keep flooding the carburetor. Prime the motor by putting gas in the petcocks. If this doesn't work look for ignition.

Don't attempt to change a tire from a rim with which you are unfamiliar. Serious accidents have occurred because of improper locking, resulting in their flying off when the tire has been inflated.

A little daily attention to your car will make it last much longer and give much better service. If you still drive a horse you would see that it was fed and watered regularly, and a car needs just as regular treatment.

# SENATOR MCCORMICK MAKES ARRIVAL IN GERMAN CITY

BERLIN, Dec. 23.—Senator McMillin McCormick, of Illinois, arrived from Warsaw tonight, three days overland and found he had been one of the most advertised men in Germany, crowding Santalinas for space in the newspapers, was for days have commented upon the probable nature of his mission. It is generally taken for granted by the German press and public that he is the confidential representative of President-elect Harding.

It is expected he will meet a number of political leaders and government officials, including President Ebert.

# CALLS ON PREMIER

ATHENS, Dec. 24.—Edward Gappas the American minister to Greece, today called on Premier Rallis in an attempt to straighten the old passport difficulties of Greeks who are naturalized Americans. The Greek authorities insist that they are natives and refuse to vouch passport for their return to the United States.

# OFFICERS RAID HOTEL

SHERBROOKE, Quebec, Dec. 24. Both sides of a hotel, situated partly in Vermont and partly in Canada, were raided simultaneously last night. The American officers had no luck but the Canadians said they found a wide open bar doing a thriving business in the part of the house located in Canada, and liquor valued at \$5000 were secured.

# ASK JAY INCREASE

CHICAGO, Dec. 24.—Chief of Police Charles Fitzgerald today sent a letter to the city council asking that the police department's pay be increased by about \$500,000 annually so that "the men" responsible for the safety of Chicago's citizens would receive a decent living wage and not be

# SUBPOENAS ARE SERVED

SEATTLE, Wash., Dec. 24.—Subpoenas have been served on 65

# CLASSIFIED ADS

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FOR SALE—AUTO WIND SHIELDS. Midlights and window glass. Motor's shop near Postoffice. 19-1-t

BEAT THE PROFITERS. BUY DIRECT. Popcorn 40 cents, 50 cents. White bread 40 cents, 50 cents. Fred A. Hill, Route 2. 12 16 17

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likely to give in to the temptations of bribe offers to which they necessarily are subjected.

## TRUE TIT-BITS

Many a warm heart beats over cold feet.

Of two evils choose the one you enjoy most.

He who lives without folly is not as wise as he imagines.

If a woman keeps her mouth shut, it's safe to bet she needs to visit the dentist.

Open confession may be good for the soul, but it's jolly bad for the reputation.

It is only when we are compelled to get bread that we realize the sinfulness of cake.

Judge not a man by the hang of his trousers. The attitude of prayer produces badness at the knees.

## SEWING SUPERSTITIONS

Patch beneath a patch is neighborly; patch upon patch is beggarly.

Help a seam in making a dress, and you will live to wear the dress out.

It is un lucky to forget to make a knot in your thread when sewing.

Begins to sew a new garment on Friday or Saturday, and it will never be finished.

Finish sewing any garment on Saturday. It is a sign that you will have something new next week.

Break a machine, needle while making a garment—foretell you will be sewed by a handsome man when wearing that garment.

When hanging up the front of a gown, if you mistake put the right front to the left shoulder seam, make a waist and it will be granted.

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## MISCELLANEOUS

GOOD OPPORTUNITY—A well established wholesale and retail business for sale. Dry, grain and produce, large warehouse, address, J. G. Teicher, Oden, Utah. Box 462. 12 23 K 12 29

MEN FOR DETECTIVE WORK. Experience unnecessary. Write J. Gaylor, former U. S. Gov't Detective, 18, Lincoln.

QUICK ROADSTER, Model 12 45, newly painted; new top; two round wheels; in luck; initial M. F. W. on both side doors. Has motorometer and one new Goodyear casing on front. Notify sheriff or owner at Lind's garage, Mark F. Woods. 1X

government witnesses, who are to appear in the trial of George J. Hibbard, charged with the use of the mails to defraud in connection with obtaining leases on public oil lands in the northwest, it was announced today. Hibbard's trial is set for February 1, in United States district court here.



MY FRIEND JOE sees wife leave town last week so he tells me to go out and catch her. I buy a fresh pole and make da lunch and Joe he deya worries for foala de fresh. I dunno yer mocha bout, but Joe say he catcha plaina fresh hee life.

We gotta greata been long stream creek da hole one end and other end da hook. On da hook Joe put a veggie worm and throw da whole work on da water but da pole. I no feegure out wot's idee Joe wanna ketcha first and nexa time down been.

Da worm stay cen da water long time before Joe pulla out. Den he vitta sore and say "da cat's no biter good". I no say something, but I ink Joe see beette biggus and he over bite before make da scratch.

For tree, four hours we set on da out and no getta something only wet. Joe say mebbe da worm een too beez so he putta young one on. I feegure dat way ces greata idee—ced da beez cut een no bugger mebbe da kitten like da lunch.

Joe cat's plaina cuss why 'da cat' catch da pole worm. Preety soon I am deegust and putta beestank sandwich on da hook. Joe says wot's idee and I say ced da worms no catcha dat fresh mebbe beestank catcha dog feeb or some other kind. I dunno. You know, I tink Joe ces crazy sen da head and he say sime t'ree weeth me.

What the Sphinx Says.  
By Newton Newkirk.

"It wouldn't be good for you if you could always do as you would. I frequently do as I want."

## WILL CONDUCT HEARINGS

WASHINGTON, Dec. 24.—Hearings on legislation to regulate grain exchanges and dealing in grain futures will be held by the House agriculture committee beginning January 4, Chairman Hanger said today. Grain exchange measures to regulate such trading have been introduced in the House at this session.

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## NOTICE OF WRIT OF ATTACHMENT

In the District Court of the Fourth Judicial District of the State of Idaho in and for Twin Falls County. On the 20th day of December, 1920, C. C. SIGGINS, Clerk of the District Court, by C. L. BOWEN, Deputy.

James R. Bothwell and W. Orr Chapman, Attorneys for Plaintiff, Twin Falls, Idaho.

Dec. 24 31 Jan. 7.

Serial No. 810048.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Halley, Idaho, December 2, 1920.

Notice is hereby given that Adella R. Hoffman, of Murtaugh, Idaho, who, on June 30, 1913, received Entry No. 010048, for NE 1/4 NE 1/4, Section 16, Township 12 South, Range 20 East, Boise Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final proof under the Homestead Provision of the Act of March 4, 1915, to establish claim to the land above described, before H. E. Powers, U. S. Commissioner, at Twin Falls, Idaho, on the 20th day of January, 1921.

Claimant names as witnesses: Martin Olsen, Arthur Shaden, William Keller, J. G. S. Walker, all of Churchill, Idaho.

BEN R. GRAY, Register.  
Dec. 10 17 24 31 Jan. 7.

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## NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION—ISOLATED TRACT.

PUBLIC LAND SALE. Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Halley, Idaho, December 7, 1920.

Notice is hereby given that, as directed by the commissioner of the general land office, under provisions of the Act of Congress, approved June 27, 1906 (34 Stat., 517), pursuant to the application of George D. Crockett of Rock Creek, Idaho, Serial No. 025479, will offer at public sale, to the highest bidder, but at not less than \$4.00 per acre, at 12:15 o'clock p. m., on the 25th day of January, 1921, at this office, the following tract of land: SW 1/4 SW 1/4 Sec. 12, E 2 NW 1/4 Sec. 13, T. 12 S., R. 18 E., B. M.

This tract is offered into the market on showing that the greater portion thereof is mountainous or too rough for cultivation.

Any persons claiming adversely the above-described land are advised to file their claims, objections, or claims before this office.

# Betty and Her Beaus



## WILL CONSTRUCT LARGE REFINERY IN IDAHO TOWN

Big Mining Company to Erect Million Dollar Electrolytic Zinc Refining Plant at Kellogg.

SPOKANE, Wash., Dec. 25.—A million dollar electrolytic zinc refinery is to be built at Kellogg, Idaho, by the Duncker Hill and Sullivan Mining and Concentrating company, according to an announcement by Frank Smith, director of the company's operations at Kellogg, here today.

Mr. Smith also announced the company's entry into the manufacture of lead plumbing material through the purchase of an interest in the Northwest Lead company of Seattle.

The announcement was made following conferences with Frederick W. Bradley, president, and other officials of the company.

The initial capacity of the proposed refinery will be 25 tons a day, Mr. Smith said, and the capacity will be doubled as soon as market conditions warrant. It probably will be two years before the plant will be in operation, he stated.

## SIGHTSEERS TO GET GLIMPSE OF NEW HOME

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 25.—Sightseeing buses will change their route around the capital. For no visit to Washington would be complete without a glance at the home of Woodrow Wilson.

Wilson's home is off the beaten path of buses—on the outskirts of the fashionable Massachusetts avenue Sheridan Circle section.

But most sightseers will miss Wil-

son. For while they are passing by in front of the house, Wilson himself will be in a rear room overlooking the gardens. This will be his library and study. It's on the second floor and has a southeasterly view across down town Washington.

## CHRISTMAS RUSH OVERWHELMS CHICAGO POSTOFFICE FORCE

CHICAGO, Dec. 25.—More than 11,000 tons of letters and packages passed through the Chicago post office during the 11 days preceding Xmas, although this year's volume of mail was less than last year, post office officials announced tonight. Falling off in mail order business and the general business situation were named by the officials as principal reasons for this year's shortage. In the first class mail department, however, more letters were sent than in any previous Xmas.

## FIREBUG CONFESSES TO STARTING FIRES

PHOENIX, Ariz., Dec. 25.—Albert Smith, 36, of Phoenix, arrested in connection with the incendiary fires which have destroyed and damaged buildings in this region during the last three months, has confessed that he started 20 of the fires in the Payette City-Brownsville-Bellverton sections, the state police announced tonight.

BROWNSTOWN, Pa., Dec. 25.—Seven fires believed to have been the work of incendiaries, who have terrorized this section for three months, were reported to the authorities here today. The fires were started late last night or early today in three residences, two school houses, a church and a barn located in this city, at Albany Hill and at Brownell, Jefferson township.

Caught in connection with the many fires throughout the Western, land-Payette Washington district was reported by the state police at Uniontown tonight. They said that they had arrested Albert Smith of Fairhope, and would hold him for further investigation. After questioning the prisoner the state police said they thought that through his arrest many of the fires would be explained.

## HUMOR PELLETS

Wigwam—"Are you superstitious?" Henpeck—"I can't help being. My wife and I first met at a dinner party where there were 13 at the table."

"Do you think prohibition will have any effect upon literature?" asked the contributor. "Sure," replied the magazine editor. "Your fiction has already lost its punch."

Tommy—"Pop, what is an incorrigible?" Tommy's Pop—"An incorrigible, my son, is a—well, it's like a 'keep off the grass' sign showing above the drifts of a March blizzard."

THEATER OWNER DIES  
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Dec. 25.—Martha E. Wolf of this city since 1902, principal owner and manager of the Lyceum theater here, died in the Protestant infirmary in Baltimore on Friday evening after an operation. He was known throughout the country in the theatrical profession.

## TWO MEN INJURED IN SHOOTING ENCOUNTER

COUNCIL BLUFFS, Ia., Dec. 25.—Sam Lewis was shot between the eyes by a bullet fired by Fred Walters here today after Lewis had wounded Earl Walters, brother of Fred, also with a shot gun. Lewis had ordered the Walters brothers, who were on a hunting trip, to hold up their hands and then began shooting.

He had hit Earl when Fred began shooting. Injuring Lewis with the second bullet, Lewis' encounter followed a free-for-all shooting fracas at his own home, in which no one was hurt but every window was broken out. Lewis, if he lives, will be blind. Walters will recover.

## FILER NEWS

Mrs. F. E. Moseley left Thursday evening for Los Angeles, Cal.; where she will spend the winter with her son, Max, who is there attending school.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hunter are the parents of a baby girl, born Saturday, December 18.

Mrs. Floyd Huffman entertained Saturday afternoon in honor of her little daughter's third birthday. About a half dozen of her playmates enjoyed the occasion.

Mrs. D. C. Sierer entertained about 25 of the night school children at her home Friday evening. Part of the evening was spent in skating on the Sierer pond. Later they played games and served a luncheon. The best time over, the guests say.

Mrs. L. H. Brown was a guest of Mrs. E. J. Birch of Twin Falls last Friday and attended the Lindquist concert, one of the numbers on the program.

Miss Burkhead left Thursday morning for Hollett, Kan., to spend the holidays with her parents.

The grade school had Christmas exercises in the different rooms Thursday. All had trees and a treat.

The seventh grade history class of 34 members has made a splendid record the last month. A test has been given each week and only three had scores below 90. The eighth grade has made some advancement this month. The teacher suggests that the parents can help materially by seeing to it that some work is done at home.

Mrs. Zella Ellis came home from Carey, Minn., Friday to spend vacation week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Ellis.

Miss Francis who is teaching at Arco, Ida., came home Monday for a two weeks' vacation.

Glen Davis who is a student at Moscow is spending Christmas season with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Davis.

H. E. Musser who, with his sister, Mrs. D. L. Graybill, accompanied their mother, Mrs. Anna Shirk, to Abilene, Kan., returned Tuesday.

Mrs. Graybill will stay for a visit. The Marion Sunday school held their exercises Friday evening. A treat was provided. The attendance reached 60 last Sunday.

Miss Beulah Koser left Thursday evening for Salt Lake where she will spend the holidays with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Ellis attended the Christmas exercises at the German Valley school Friday evening and their daughter, Ruth, who is teaching there returned with them for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Brown and Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Nicholson were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Childs Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Small and family spend Christmas in Wendell guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Small.

Miss Mabel Banks is spending a few days at her home in Twin Falls. Mr. and Mrs. Earl Peck of Huhl spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Doyle. Their other guests were Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Otto and family and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Wood.

A goodly number of mothers attended the exhibit in the primary department at Marion Friday. Mrs. Wood's work is very satisfactory.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Bradley December 18 is a daughter.

Miss Opal Board, teacher of domestic art in the high school left Thursday morning for Corvallis, Ore., to spend the holidays with her parents.

Miss Mabel Banks was the recipient of a letter from her mother, Mrs. W. S. McCleary, assisted by Mrs. C. S. McCleary. Tuesday evening December 21, the house was appropriately decorated with hearts and cupid.

Much amusement was created by a trio of dolls, dressed to represent the bride, the groom and the minister, which were standing on the colonnade under a bell. A dainty luncheon was served by the Misses Thelma Shear, and Bertha McCleary. Miss Banks received many beautiful and useful gifts.

The guests were Madamess Leonard Wood, Harold Snow, E. B. Ripley and McGinnis and the Misses M. Wolfe, Audrey McCaw, Myrtle Musser, Helen Kins and Olive McGinnis.

COFFMAN TO SPEAK  
SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, Dec. 25.—Dr. L. D. Coffman, president of the

University of Minnesota, and Dr. E. O. Sloan, president of the University of Montana, will be among the speakers at the twenty-fifth annual convention of the Utah Educational association which will open a two days session here Tuesday.

## URGENT TARIFF ON ALL NORTH AMERICAN GOODS

BURNING AIRES, Dec. 25.—Commenting on protests which have been made here against the proposed new tariff law in the United States, La. Razon says:

"There is no good in protesting against what the Americans are doing. We must imitate them. In playing the same game we will come out ahead." An increased tariff on North American products is suggested by the paper.

## WAR OVER, PARISIANS CELEBRATE REAL XMAS

PARIS, Dec. 25.—After celebrating Christmas eve with much the same abandon as marked the pre-war observance of the night, Paris gave itself over today to a quiet, but joyous Christmas—the first real one since the war.

The American Red Cross did its bit in European countries, giving the orphan children a taste of the American Xmas. Two hundred thousand of war waifs received bags of candy and toys, while needy mothers were presented with knitted articles.

On Alabama 16 cases of rug dolls made by the girls of the Pittsburgh public schools were distributed to the orphans. The meaning of Xmas was brought home in a similar way to the children in other war countries.

A spirit of gaiety animated all the cafes, hotels and restaurants in Paris last night. All restrictions were off and many persons were turned away because of lack of accommodations.

American visitors participated actively in the celebrations and today all the American organizations in Paris gave dinners and entertainments while the American churches held special services.

GRIFFIN OUTPOINTS KID  
EL PASO, Tex., Dec. 25.—Dick Griffin of Fort Worth, Texas, outpointed Zulu Kid of Brooklyn by a wide margin here today in a fast 15 round boxing bout. Griffin forced the fighting from start to finish. They made 118 pounds at 9 o'clock today.

## CENSORSHIP RAISED BY GRECIAN RULER

ATHENS, Dec. 25.—It is officially declared that the foreign censorship has been raised except on matters dealing with governmental policies. Many courtesies have been extended to the foreign correspondents since the return of King Constantine and the nervous atmosphere of the city has apparently disappeared.

Prince George is to have a new residence in the palace now used for cabinet meetings, as Madame Mano, wife of the late King Alexander is occupying his previous home.

On Christmas night at 8:30 occurred the wedding of Lawrence S. Webb and Dot Summers, both of Twin Falls, when they were united in marriage by Rev. E. L. White, pastor of the First Methodist church performing the ceremony. They were attended by Harry E. Nye, brother of the bride and Mrs. Beale Pettit. The following invited guests were present: Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Paine, P. L. Nye, C. A. Nye and Hay Mallard. Mr. and Mrs. Blum will make their home in Twin Falls.

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GOVERNMENT WILL HELP  
WASHINGTON, Dec. 25.—The bureau of investigation of the department of justice under instructions of Attorney General Palmer tonight began investigation of the death of James F. McGuinness, a prohibition enforcement agent at Bayonne, N. J., yesterday. Special agents will be sent to New Jersey to cooperate with the local authorities. The action was taken upon the request of Joseph P. T. Mulvey, secretary to President Wilson who is a cousin of Mr. McGuinness.

Mr. Tamm, according to an announcement tonight, also urged an investigation in messages today to messengers today of chiefs of police.

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FOUR PRISONERS ESCAPE  
FORT MADISON, Iowa, Dec. 25.—James O'Keefe, James Lano, James Cullen and Harry Smith, four members of a gang committed to the state prison here from Lemars, escaped this morning during Christmas ceremonies. Posses searched for the men all day and were still out tonight.

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