

MEMPHIS SHAKEN BY GIANT EXPLOSION

PARIS SCENE OF MEETING OF NATIONS

Most Important Gathering Since the Treaty of Versailles.

Many Questions Long Held Up Are Expected to Be Settled by End of Week.

PARIS, Jan. 23.—Representatives from Great Britain, France, Italy, Belgium and Japan gathered here today for a conference, which is deemed second in importance to that which preceded the treaty of Versailles.

The 121 powers are represented by the following: Premier David Lloyd George of Great Britain, Earl Curzon and Premier Aristide Briand, France; Foreign Minister Count Storace, Italy; Premier Franklin D. Roosevelt, United States; and Viscount Ishii, ambassador to France of Japan.

The meetings will have the aspect of a final peace conference, inasmuch as they will be held in the "stocked" cities. They are being held in the famous track town of the French coast, where primary sessions of the peace conference were held.

It is generally understood that the negotiation of the new ministry of Armistice Affairs, who was best with made member of France, will depend upon the meeting, and the result of the meeting will be able to bring from the cabinet to the chamber of deputies. The general feeling over the situation is optimistic.

The program for the day called for the deliberation of the policies to be pursued for disarmament. Tomorrow it is expected, negotiations will follow, and with the German, Greek, Russian, American and other questions will be discussed. Questions which have come up among the allied nations during 1919 and 1920 will be settled at this conference.

Fix Disinfects Date

Deputies, Upper Silesia, Jan. 23.—German industry, Polish propaganda and the main and women who work in the great fabric of Upper Silesia express virtually a unanimous hope that the council of all nations meeting in Paris tomorrow will fix the earliest possible date for the publication, which they believe is necessary for the stabilization of the unsettled conditions which are terrorizing a large percentage of the population.

The committee, who are conducting an intensive campaign to bring the regions east of the Oder region to their side, declare that a further protest of the reaction will only add to the excitement and to the hatred between the Poles and the Germans, and that economically the interest of Upper Silesia will be best served by the immediate vote to decide whether Germany or Poland will control. The Poles, apparently more confident of victory, assert that they have always stood for an early plebiscite, and still urge it. It is pointed out by both sides that the population is fully equipped with arms and that fighting during or after the election can hardly be avoided.

THE WEATHER

For Upper Michigan: Cloudy tonight and Tuesday; probably snow Tuesday; continued cold.

Weather Conditions—The principal barometric disturbance this morning prevails in the southern portions of the Rocky Mountains and plains states where precipitation occurred quite generally within the last twenty-four hours. Light precipitation occurred also along the shore of Lake Superior and in the northern districts west of the Rocky Mountains. High pressure predominates in the northern districts where temperatures have fallen decidedly since Saturday.

Temperatures recorded are as follows:

	7 a. m. Last Night	Lowest
Chicago	32	30
Escanaba	16	16
Green Bay	29	29
Houghton	12	12
S. St. Marie	4	4
St. Paul	14	14
Washington	24	24
Winnipeg	12	12

Mrs. Torval Strom and son, of Escanaba, Mich., arrived Wednesday for their first winter in Tampa—Tampa Daily News.

AUDIT FIRM SAYS VOUCHER WAS MADE OUT TO SCHWAB

Perely Morse Whose Company Audited the Books Testifies Before the Walsh Committee.

NEW YORK, Jan. 23.—Perely Morse, whose auditing firm audited the Bethlehem Ship Building Company's accounts, appeared before the Walsh investigating committee today to make a statement as to his knowledge of the voucher for \$160,000, which Colonel E. H. Abadie claimed was found. This voucher, he said, was made out to cover the personal expenses of Charles Schwab for the month of October, 1918.

JUDGE LANDIS ON THE TRAIL OF J. E. FILLION

Tells District Attorney to Get Extradition Papers Out.

Wants Well Known 'Booze' Hero Rounded Up and Brought Back to Federal Court.

LA CROSSE, Wis., Jan. 23.—"Is there not some way we can get that man Fillion?" asked Judge Landis today of District Attorney Wolfe. "I have already started work to bring this man into court," said the district attorney, who explained that Fillion was badly needed in the Harley cases, which are soon to come up for trial.

Fillion, it is said, has been in Canada and will be brought back as soon as the papers can be prepared.

Ernest Olan, of Watertown, Wis., was found guilty by a jury in United States Court here today of having moonshine liquor in his possession.

Matt Schmidt, a La Crosse saloon keeper has changed his plea of guilty to guilty and is now awaiting sentence.

John J. Blanchard, Stephen DeWitt and John Muel, of Gillet, Wis., were found guilty of the possession of liquor.

TRAIN HELD UP; ROBBERS GET DOLLAR

Fireman on Chicago & Alton Was the Only One to Contribute to Bandit Gang.

CHICAGO, Jan. 23.—A Chicago & Alton train from Kansas City to Chicago was held up near Louisville, Mo., tonight, according to a report received here. The only money secured by the bandits was one dollar contributed by the fireman to a man who gained entrance to the engine bin.

Locked vestibule doors prevented the robbers from disturbing the occupants of the coaches and sleeping cars.

The engine crew claim they stopped the train because the bandits flagged it.

NOTICE

Members of the R. C. Hatheway Chapter, No. 49, O. E. S., are requested to meet at the Masonic Temple at 1:30 o'clock, Tuesday, to attend the funeral of Mrs. N. C. Peterson.

W. B. A. MEETING

The Woman's Benefit Association of the Macabees will hold its regular meeting Tuesday, Jan. 25th at the home of Miss Anna Anderson 111 1st Ave. So. After the meeting cards and refreshments will follow. All members are requested to be present.



DELTA COUNTY FARMER WANTS \$25,000 BALM

Charles Blosser Sues Detroit Physician for Alienating Wife.

Shack On Banks of Fish Dam Was Scene of Intimacies Which Resulted in This Suit.

A new divorce battle is again being thrust into the limelight in connection with the sensational "affair of affection" suit which is at present being tried by Judge Arthur Webster in Circuit Court in Detroit. Charles Blosser, young Delta County farmer is suing for \$25,000 heart balm from Dr. Clement E. Reed of Detroit. Judge of Mattheus is Blosser's chief witness in the case.

Two years ago Mr. and Mrs. Charles Blosser, of Delta County and Dr. Reed, of Reed, 4000 Wabash Avenue, Detroit, were intimate on a night in 1918.

The building camp was small, having but one sleeping room, with three beds in it, and when John R. Blosser, aged grandnephew of the couple, was added to the party sleeping arrangements were a bit crowded.

Spices of whispering and gossip of the place, notwithstanding, not only was the readiness of the stream, tracks and a logging road that led into the woods, the narrow road of a narrow stream and the brandy snacks of a

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DEATH OF LENINE IS BELIEVED BY GERMAN PAPERS

COPENHAGEN, Jan. 23.—Reports of the death of Nicholas Lenin are claimed by articles in the "Berlingske Tidende" and other Bolshevik papers. They state that Lenin has not arrived at any of the recent meetings of the Soviet government and that Leon Trotsky has been the presiding officer.

CARD PARTY

Members of the Phoebe Rebecca Lodge will hold a card party tomorrow evening in the Odd Fellows' Hall. Refreshments will be served. A cordial welcome is extended to all calling to attend.

THE BLUE LAWS

Failure to go to Church Statutory Offense

If you had lived during the reign of Queen Elizabeth and King James you would find it a statutory offense to fail to go to church on Sunday. The penalty was a fine of one shilling for every Sunday unrequited, and six pounds for continuing away from services for a whole month.

The statute had just expired over the members of the Church of England only, however, these were bound to subscribe to the belief in the church of their own belief, and possibly they attended a church of their own belief, and possibly they took certain religious and made certain resolutions. The law nevertheless was very strict in respect to persons belonging to other sects. For instance, the five miles act of 1665 made it unlawful for a inhabitant of non-conformist churches to come within five miles of an incorporated town. Failure to comply with this measure would fine the trustee twenty pounds.

VACCINATION

Number of People Protest Against It and Will Not Have Children Vaccinated.

A large number of local people attended a meeting of the city hall yesterday afternoon, which was called by William Auerbach, to protest against compulsory vaccination in the public schools.

Whether Mr. Auerbach is right or wrong, he has the courage of his convictions and was perfectly willing that anyone who had anything to say in favor of vaccination should give the floor and defend the committee of the city health department.

There was not a medical man at the meeting and the defiance of the medical profession and vaccination fell to the lot of a newspaper man, who declared that his side of the argument ought to be handled by some one better posted than he was.

Many people advanced arguments against vaccination of any kind whatsoever and told of experiences that proved to them that it was far from being beneficial. Before the close of the meeting a resolution was adopted which will be presented to the school board as well as the city health department.

Many of those who attended the meeting yesterday offered the suggestion that it might be well to call another meeting for some extending date.

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TWO NEGROES ARE LYNCHED BY ANGRY MOB

Argument Over Price of Apples Started All the Trouble.

Home Guards Called Out by Governor to Prevent Further Lynchings by Mob.

WARRENTOWN, N. C., Jan. 23.—The lynching of two negroes by a mob of 150 persons today caused considerable excitement among the populace of this district. A company of home guards ordered out by Governor Johnston to aid in preventing further lynchings are still on duty, as it is feared further trouble may take place.

The lynching is the culmination of several days of race riots and 40 footings between the whites and blacks, following a gun fight, in which two white men and three negroes were killed. Last night a mob of about 150 men surrounded the jail, where 13 negroes were imprisoned and succeeded in securing two of the negroes, Alfred Williams and Plummer Gillock. They took the negroes to a hill outside of the city where they tied their bodies with banners. These two negroes were supposed to be the leaders in the riot.

The original cause of the riot occurred during a clash which followed a discussion with a group over the purchase price of apples. Two negroes from Norfolk appeared to be the chief instigators of the trouble. All members of the mob were taken from them by officers.

Norfolk is a small town about four miles from this city.

Hanson Case Will Be Heard Thursday

It was announced today by Justice McEwen, that the examination of Christ Hanson, Tom Morgan and Theodore Olson, the men charged with stealing a number of irreplaceable, and also with the robbery of the Gamble Robinson company, has been continued until Wednesday or Thursday of this week. Absence from the city of the prosecutor was given as the reason.

TANK CAR OF GASOLINE SETS FIRE TO A BLOCK OF HOUSES; EXPLOSION KILLS 20 PEOPLE

FEDERAL MEN ARE PREPARING RAIDS ON CHICAGO BOOZE

It Is Declared That Home Brew Makers Are Second Choice With Revenue Officials.

CHICAGO, Jan. 23.—The removal of the vigorous drive on the illicit liquor traffic in Chicago has been commenced by the federal officials. Squadrons will be formed to take evidence on the liquor dealers, and within the next few days breweries, wholesale liquor dealers will receive the attention of the federal men. The manufacturers of some brew will be taken care of later.

CENTRALIZED GOVERNMENT UP THIS WEEK

Many Women Interested in Mother's Pension Amendment.

Committees Who Have Been Out Investigating State Institutions Will Report This Week.

LANSING, Mich., Jan. 23.—The centralized governmental program of Governor Groves and reports by some of the committees assigned to inspect state institutions probably will crystallize the chief problems before the state legislature when it reconvenes this evening after the week-end recess.

A step toward carrying out the governor's plan for organizing a number of boards and commissions was taken last week when the chief executive caused to be introduced two bills providing for central administrative boards and for the reporting to the auditor general of nearly all the state auditing. The governor took this action when the house and senate failed to agree upon the proposition of a representative of each house or a steering committee that was to have brought the executive's program before the legislature. This step is believed to have saved considerable time in carrying out the program and to have averted a possible clash between house and senate forces.

O'CALLAGHAN IS READY TO GIVE SELF UP

Will Not Leave Country Until He Gets Seaman's Papers and Can Return as a Sailor.

NORFOLK, Va., Jan. 23.—Deputy Callaghan, Lord Mayor of Cork, who came to this country as a stowaway returned here today and Judge Lewis, his counsel, announced he would surrender himself to the marine store inspector as ordered by Secretary War. O'Callaghan will not be deported immediately but will be given a seaman's certificate to ship aboard a bound vessel at his convenience.

Second Car Blows Up But Does Little Or No Damage.

It Is Thought That the Cause of First Explosion Was Caused by Spark from Chisel.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Jan. 23.—Twenty five were killed, over fifty were fatally or at least seriously injured and more than 200 are thought to have been injured in an explosion of a tank car loaded with gasoline, which was on a side track here this morning awaiting to be emptied into the filling station which was nearby.

Many of those killed were negroes who were working around the car and in the vicinity. The force of the explosion broke windows for a radius of fifteen blocks and the whole city was shaken. Great crowds rushed to the scene, only to hamper the police and fire departments in their work of rescue.

At the time of the explosion three men were seen to be working with chisels, cutting the side of the car where it was thought to be leaking. The theory has been advanced that a spark from one of the chisels was the direct cause of the explosion. Two of these men, along with the tank car, were blown to bits, the third man escaping with slight injuries.

The car was standing on the track near Lanes street which is in the north end of the city.

Buildings Ablaze

Flames from the burning gasoline were blown across the street and a full block of tenement houses, of varied construction burst into flame and within a short time were leveled to the ground. Ten bodies were removed from the debris, burned beyond recognition, within a very few minutes after the fire in the tenements started.

Every ambulance, as well as delivery trucks and private automobiles were pressed into service to convey the injured to the hospitals. While one company of police officers were engaged in keeping the crowds back, other policemen and the fire companies were making an effort to rescue the injured from the scene of disaster.

Just how many have been killed, by explosion or fire will not be known until further explorations have been made by excavating the ruins. The first bodies to be discovered were those of four negro women and a baby. These bodies were not in the ruins of any of the building, but all were a short distance from their homes and had been killed by flying debris from either the tank car or wrecked buildings.

Other bodies were found scattered for blocks around the scene of the accident. A negro boy, apparently 10 years of age was discovered a considerable distance away where he had been blown into a bayou. Both legs were broken but he was alive and was taken to a hospital.

Another tank car filled with gasoline became heated and the cover was blown off, but fortunately little further damage was done, as far as the car or gas was concerned, but in the panic, resulting from the second explosion, many people injured more or less seriously in trying to escape from what they thought would be another gigantic explosion.

Late this afternoon, the officials stated that the loss would total at least \$150,000.

Railroad Fare to Remain at 3 Cents

DETROIT, Mich., Jan. 23.—The Michigan Public Utilities Commission was promptly restrained by the federal court here today from reducing the railroad rates from three to two and one-half cents a mile within the state. The order was issued on application of the Michigan roads.

R. C. HATHEWAY CHAPTER

The R. C. Hatheway Chapter, No. 49, Order Eastern Star, cordially invites all members of the Order of Eastern Star and Masonic Fraternity to attend a social meeting at the Masonic Temple, Wednesday evening, Jan. 26, at 8 o'clock. A musical program will be given and cards and dancing will follow. Light refreshments will be served.

REPUBLICANS PREPARING FOR STATE MEETING

Each County Will Have One Delegate for Every 500 Votes Cast in the Last General Election.

DETROIT, Mich., Jan. 24.—(By Associated Press.)—The republican state convention will be held Monday, February 1, at the Waldorf-Astoria hotel in Detroit. The convention will elect delegates to the national convention to be held in Cleveland, Ohio, in August. The delegates will be elected on the basis of one delegate for every 500 votes cast in the last general election. The convention will also elect a state central committee and a state executive committee.

VIENNA SETS NEW STRIKE RECORD IN THE PAST YEAR

There Were 927 Strikes in Vienna during 1920; Eight Were Carried Over to the New Year.

VIENNA, Jan. 24.—(By Associated Press.)—A record of 927 strikes in Vienna during 1920 was announced today. The strikes were carried over to the new year. The record is the highest in the history of the city. The strikes were in various industries, including the textile, metal, and food industries. The strikes were caused by various factors, including low wages, long hours, and poor working conditions.

Breaks All Records for Recruiting in the District of Omaha

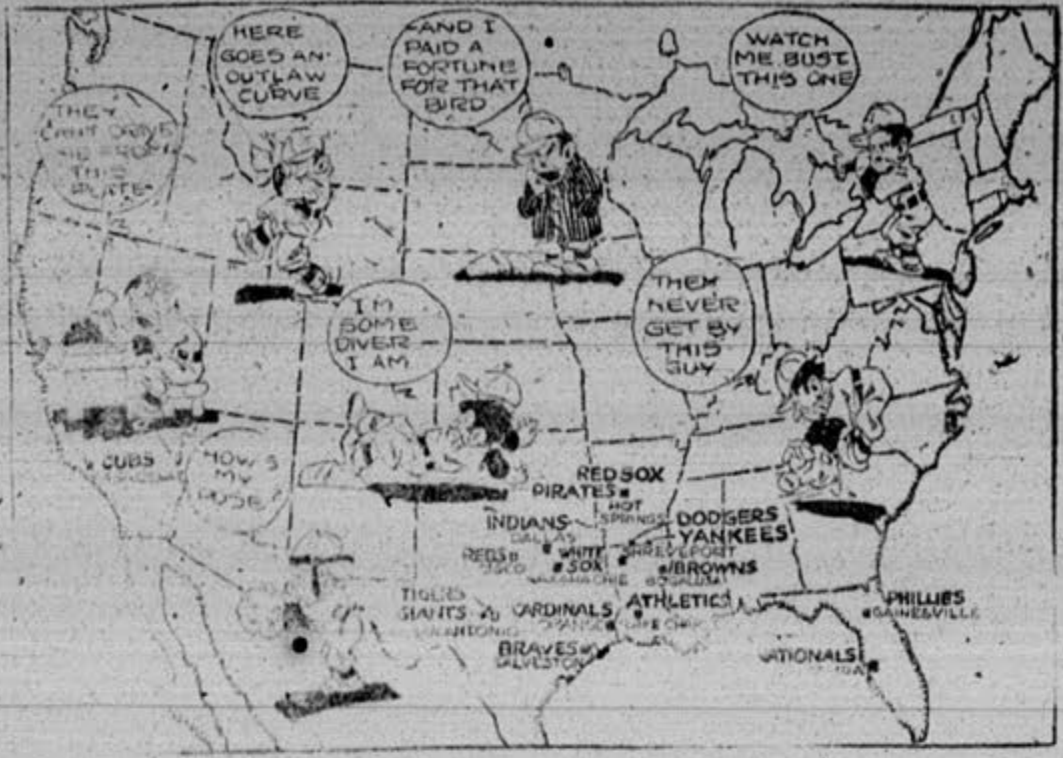
OMAHA, Neb., Jan. 24.—(By Associated Press.)—The recruiting office in the district of Omaha has broken all records for recruiting in the past year. The office has recruited more men than in any previous year. The recruits are being sent to various parts of the country for military service. The office has been successful in recruiting men from all walks of life, including farmers, mechanics, and professionals.

PAIN GONE! RUB SORE, RHEUMATIC ACHING JOINTS

Rub pain away with a small trial bottle of old St. Jacobs Oil. Stop "doing" rheumatism. It's pain only, not one case in 100 requires internal treatment. Rub soothing penetrating St. Jacobs Oil right on the tender spot, and by the time you say Jack Robinson comes the rheumatic pain and aches, St. Jacobs Oil is the remedy. The medicinal liniment which never dries, never peels, and does not burn the skin. It takes pain, soreness and stiffness from aching joints, muscles and bones, stops sciatica, lumbago, backache and neuralgia.

The store ads are printed in your interest—or they would represent wasted money for the merchant.

Texas Will Be Rookies' Paradise!



But not mostly Texas. The fog-end of February and the first week of March will find the 16 major league ball clubs making tracks for spring training camps. Texas gets seven of them, Louisiana four, Arkansas and Florida two each and California one. Map shows how the clubs will be distributed during the training season.

DETERMINED TO KEEP BANKER IN BUSINESS WORLD

CHICAGO, Jan. 24.—(By Associated Press.)—Michael De Cossola, a patron of thirty years ago, is determined to keep his name in the banking world. De Cossola, who was once a prominent banker, has recently returned to the business world. He has been successful in his new venture and is determined to continue in the banking industry.

STILL FOUND UNDERGROUND AFTER A FIRE

SHOBY FALLS, N. D., Jan. 24.—(By Associated Press.)—A subterranean tunnel in Shoby Falls, N. D., was recently discovered after a fire. The tunnel was found in a basement room and was used for storing goods. The fire had caused the tunnel to collapse, but it was still intact. The discovery of the tunnel has caused a great deal of interest in the community.

FARMERS WARNED OF CORN BORER

LANESBORO, Mass., Jan. 24.—(By Associated Press.)—Farmers in the Lanesboro area are being warned of a heavy loss of crops due to a corn borer. The corn borer is a pest that causes significant damage to corn crops. Farmers are advised to take preventive measures to protect their crops from the pest.

Menace Is Seen in Anti-British Agitation

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24.—(By Associated Press.)—A menace is seen in anti-British agitation in the United States. The agitation is being fueled by various groups and individuals who are spreading false information about the British government. The government is concerned about the potential for violence and disruption caused by the agitation.

RUSSIA BUYS FROM BRITISH

LONDON, Jan. 24.—(By Associated Press.)—Russia has bought a large quantity of goods from the British. The goods include various types of machinery, textiles, and other commodities. The purchase is a significant one and shows the economic relationship between the two countries.

WASHINGTON BRIDE

MRS. JOHN C. WALKER. One of the prettiest weddings of the season in Washington was that of Miss Helen Claxton, daughter of the U. S. commissioner of education, and John C. Walker.

IN HEARTY FAVOR OF UNIVERSITIES FOR ALL CITIES

President of University of Cincinnati Shows Help Given City by Having Own Universities.

CINCINNATI, O., Jan. 24.—(By Associated Press.)—The question of the establishment of municipal universities, the peculiar intimacy with it, was such an institution may enjoy was pointed out here today by Dr. Frederick C. Hicks, president of the University of Cincinnati. "Our institution is in close contact with the community that supports it and this locality absorbs a large proportion of its graduates," President Hicks said. "Hence this university is in a position to relate its teaching and research directly to the life of the community which it exists to serve." This relationship, President Hicks observed, has been brought about by substantial means, that the connection of the university with the engineering and commerce establishments in the Cincinnati area by its cooperative courses. These are given in the college of engineering and commerce, 250 students spending alternate weeks in periods in school and business or industry.

NOT ALARMED OVER IDLENESS

National Industrial Conference Board Issues an Optimistic Report.

Industries of the Country Returning to Conditions That Prevailed Before the War—Labor Going Back to the "Minor" Employments. Official reports from 45 states, representing 95 per cent of the nation's population, reveal a widespread industrial depression in spite of which no serious or general unemployment has as yet developed, the national industrial conference board declared in a statement made public at New York. This situation, apparently paradoxical, has developed when seasonal agricultural employment is at its lowest, 350 in most sections of the country, with indications that unemployment slowly is increasing, it was stated. "To understand the apparently contradictory situation of unemployment, the board asserted, "it is necessary to recall that the industries of our country are now emerging from a period of intensive operation, that may without exaggeration be called a period of over-production." In many localities there has been a chronic shortage of labor for several years," it added. "Overtime work has been common. The entire agricultural work of the country has been carried on short-handed and farmers have been going without all-year-round help which most of them sorely need. "High wages have brought a great inflow from villages and rural districts to the industrial centers. The country has never fully realized the labor shortage in other employments until this condition became acute. The present industrial depression has not, in most of the cases, that has been the result of a general shortage of labor in the war and post-war years. Shortage of labor in many industries. Complete shortages have occurred in some industries, but not in great numbers nor for very long periods. "The labor shortage, that has been relieved for the most part, is still back to the less attractive employments from which it was drawn in the high-wage, intensively operating last year, and is not always immediately reabsorbed as desired. In some districts the lack of labor has not as yet been sufficient to make up the loss due to the wartime operation of industrial centers. In those sections an actual shortage of labor is reported."

WILL NOT WELCOME JACK JOHNSON RETURN TO BOXING

NEW YORK, Jan. 24.—(By Associated Press.)—The boxing community in New York will not welcome the return of Jack Johnson to the ring. Johnson, who was once a world champion, has been banned from boxing for several years. The boxing community in New York is concerned about the potential for violence and disruption caused by Johnson's return to the ring.

Don't Forget the Big Manpower at Clark's Hall on Jan. 29

Don't forget the Big Manpower at Clark's Hall on Jan. 29. The event is a great one and will feature a variety of entertainment. The event is open to all and is a great opportunity to see some of the best talent in the area.

WASH. BRIDE

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Delta County Farmer Wants \$25,000 Bail

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Jap Beauties Are Coming to the U.S.

TOKYO, Jan. 24.—(By Associated Press.)—The United States will see a number of Japanese beauties in the near future. The beauties are being sent to the U.S. for a beauty pageant. The pageant is a great event and will feature some of the most beautiful women in Japan.

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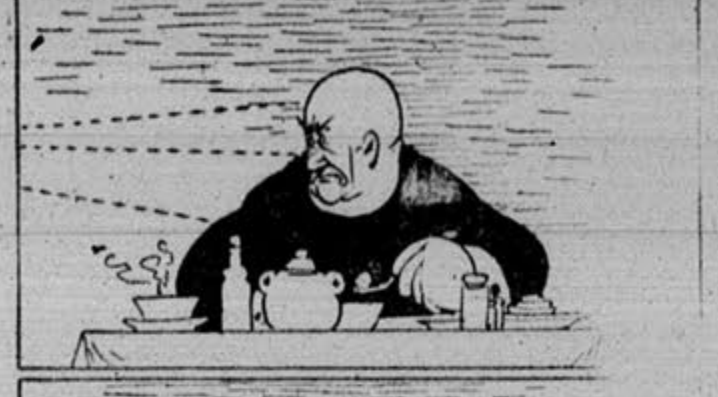
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JOHN DULL'S INCREMENT IS MANY BILLION

War Increased Wealth of Great Britain Hundred Billion.

"If This Is True," It is Asked, "Why Should the United States Cancel Debt?"

WASHINGTON, Jan. 23.—The reading of a letter by the United States Bank Association...

The increase in the wealth of the United States has occurred, of course, wholly within our own borders...

Great Britain's increased wealth is partly due to her acquisitions of territory, which is practically an acquisition...

Wearable and Charming. The first frock, in dark blue serge, is combined with plaid flannel...

Let a Want Ad Sell It

LADON TROUBLES AT A MINIMUM

Few Disturbances Reported in Any Section of United States.

LARGEST STRIKE IS LOCAL

That at Tampa, Florida, Comparative Unimportant in Its Relation to the Country—General Spirit of Conciliation Reported by the Department of Labor.

Labor disturbances in the United States are at a practically negligible minimum...

There are a few outbreaks reported, but it was pointed out that at a time when great general strikes are being reported in Great Britain...

Will Fight Wage Reduction.

The United Textile Workers of America went on record at the closing session of the convention...

Workers to Co-operate.

A co-operative co-operative has been organized by the Massachusetts branch of the Independent Workers' Circle of America...

New Industries for Canada.

Launching of a new industrial project involving the building of a railroad from Hudson Bay to Seven Islands...

More Workers Than Jobs.

For the first time since the beginning of the war period there are more men looking for jobs than there are jobs to give them.

Japanese City's Big Project.

A scheme which will result in the expenditure of between \$100,000,000 and \$200,000,000 is now under way in Kobe, Japan...

Let a Want Ad Sell It

STATE NEWS IN PARAGRAPHS

Chickens That Eat... Which burned with a loss of property \$25,000...

Owosso—The plant of the International Stove Co. here has resumed operations after being closed for several months.

Lansing—The annual meeting of the Michigan State Beekeepers' Association will be held in Lansing Jan. 25, 26 and 27.

Kalamazoo—The combined deposits of four Kalamazoo banks increased \$4,500,000 in 1920...

Owosso—The Kelly Construction Co. of Eau Claire, Wis. is to be paid about \$15,000 for the installation of a boulevard lighting system here.

Tecumseh—A bag of wheat will be asked from every farmer in Tecumseh township for grinding into flour for Hoover relief work in the Near East.

Saginaw—Mrs. Caroline Liskow, 109, believed to have been the oldest friend of Saginaw county, is dead from old age.

Lansing—Bishop John N. McCormick of Grand Rapids, was reappointed a member of the state board of corrections...

Pontiac—The city council adopted a motion by Rev. Russell H. Bready, a member, providing for the opening of all meetings with prayer.

Traverse City—Frank W. Steier, a farmer, has been named by the board of supervisors as county agricultural agent of Grand Traverse County.

Holland—In an effort to catch dealers of four automobiles, wading men of Holland have formed a protective and vigilance body.

Mt. Clemens—By a vote of almost 10 to 1 at a special election, the question of bonding the city for \$10,000 to extend the city water mains and provide for an increased water supply, carried.

Big Rapids—Business men of Big Rapids are offering prizes of \$50 to farmers who make their sleds comply with the standard width.

Charlotte—Attempting to cross the Grand Trunk tracks at an extra westward freight track at the West Henry street crossing in this city...

Pontiac—Rev. Henry J. Simpson, of All Saints' Episcopal church of this city, was awarded a divorce from his wife, Mrs. Fanny Selby Simpson...

Pontiac—Mrs. Annie Corbin, an inmate of the county poor house, was awarded a verdict of \$2,770 in Circuit Court against her daughter, Mrs. Berne B. Corbin...

Grand Rapids—Raymond Doolittle, suffering from injuries received in the World war, has been committed by Probate Judge Clark E. Highton to the state hospital at Kalamazoo for treatment...

Traverse City—What is believed to have been the largest stand of trees in eastern Michigan was cut down on the farm of Henry Wilhelm...

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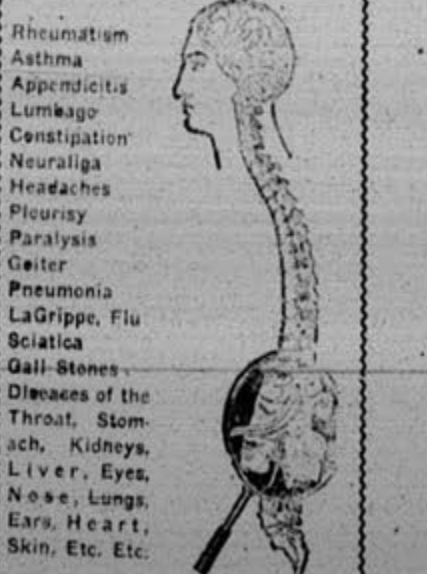
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LONDON, (By Mail to United Press)—There is trouble in the camp of the Young Women's Christian Association here...

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This American woman has been admitted to the bar and authorized to practice law at Shanghai, China. She is the wife of Consul-General H. S. N. and a law graduate of the...

DETROIT LEADS ALL CITIES IN MOTOR TRUCKS

DETROIT, Mich., Jan. 23.—Detroit leads all other cities in the country in the use of motor trucks for trucking and cartage purposes, according to figures presented at the annual meeting here of the directors of the National Association of Team and Motor Truck Owners...

Carpentier's New Baby



Georges Carpentier, the French heavyweight champion, thinks this is the greatest baby in the world. It's his new daughter, Jacqueline. Inset is Mme. Carpentier.

EIGHT-HOUR DAY IN STEEL MILLS

Change From Present Twelve-Hour Shift Is Urged on Employers.

CHANGE WOULD COST LITTLE

Expert Points to Increased Efficiency, Meaning Greater Output, as a Certain Result of Shorter Hours—Human and Civic Values Involved.

The economic necessity for a 12-hour day no longer exists and now is the time, with a surplus of labor, for steel plants to change to three shifts, said Horace B. Drury, economist, before a New York meeting of engineers and technicians.

Mr. Drury said the expense of changing from a twelve-hour to an eight-hour shift would be slight, and that if the entire steel industry—blast furnaces, steel works and rolling mills—went on three shifts without any increase in efficiency, it could not add more than 3 per cent to the total cost of making the finished steel product.

Some of the twenty American companies that have adopted the three-shift system in the last 100 years have made no great change in operating methods, he said, and accordingly costs are somewhat higher than before the change. But others have taken advantage of the new system to cut out unnecessary positions, to strive for greater output and to require greater care on the part of the men. The result has been that costs are but little higher than under the old plan.

Some of the largest companies, the speaker said, have increased their labor force only 30 to 35 per cent in putting on the extra shift.

Mr. Drury added that the human and civic values involved in changing from twelve to eight hours' work are more important than the financial and operating difficulties of the change.

BOYCOTT ON CLOSED SHOPS

Bethlehem Steel Corporation Refuses to Sell Its Product to Employers of Union Labor.

The Bethlehem Steel corporation will refuse to sell fabricated steel to builders and contractors in the New York and Philadelphia districts to be erected on a non-union basis. This policy was disclosed by Eugene G. Grace, president of the corporation, who testified at New York before the joint legislative committee investigating the alleged "building trust" replying to charges that his corporation was sponsoring the "open shop" movement by withholding steel from builders employing only union iron workers.

"I think it is a proper thing to protect the open shop principle," declared Mr. Grace, who explained that his steel should not be changed, even if building operations in New York were to be suspended because steel could not be obtained by union workers.

Whether the corporation will extend its policy to other parts of the country, the witness said, depends "entirely on what effect I should expect it to have on our general labor situation."

PROMINENT PATRIARCH DIES

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS) LISBON, Jan. 23.—Information has been received here of the death of Cardinal Jose Sebastiao Netto, former Patriarch of Lisbon, who died in one of the Franciscan monasteries of Spain where he retired after the revolution, in 1910. He received the cardinal's cap from the hands of King Louis I of Portugal in 1882. Previously he was Bishop of Angola and the Congo, where he was a missionary.

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TO HAVE AIR MAIL SERVICE

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS) NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—New Zealand will soon inaugurate an airplane mail service modeled after that in use by the United States Postoffice Department, according to J. B. Murphy of Thurston, New Zealand, who came here to see demonstrations of various aircraft. The company with which he is connected has signed a contract to carry the aerial mail in New Zealand, added Mr. Murphy.

Eighty-two over Mount Cook in an airplane also is contemplated, Mr. Murphy said. Mount Cook is a major objective point for tourists in that country.

PROHIBITION HERE TO STAY

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS) LIVERPOOL, Jan. 24.—Lord Leverhulme, one of Great Britain's largest manufacturers, told the Daily Post representative on his return from a recent visit to the United States that "prohibition in America has come to stay of that you may be certain."

"The people are settling down under it," he continued, "and I believe that if put to the popular vote, the vast majority of the electorate would support its continuance. There is a slight chance that the anti-alcoholic drinks will ever be repealed."

Wholesale Wage Cutting

Wage cuts affecting half a million workers, amounting to from 10 to 25 per cent, have been made or decided upon by employers throughout the country. Heading the list was that decided upon by the textile mills of Massachusetts and New York, amounting to 25 per cent and affecting 300,000 workers.

Canadian Labor Dissatisfied

Dissatisfied with the progress made in the Ontario legislature with their group led by a cabinet minister in the person of Hon. W. H. Rolfe, the Independent Labor party of Ontario has expressed itself as in favor of their representatives being under the leadership of one who is outside the cabinet.

Girl Is Nineteen Years and Is Still a Baby



MISS LILY Marie Kirpova, 19 years, toys with a rubber doll as she rests on a hospital bed here, while eminent physicians debate her chances for physical and mental development. The physicians discussed her condition freely in her presence, for she could not understand their simplest words. Her whole interest was absorbed by the doll and the white, clean clothes on her bed. Marie's physical development approximates that of a four-year-old child, the physicians found in their examination. Her mental development was such that, they declared, that of the average 10-year-old boy.

The girl, who developed normal intelligence when two years of age, was allowed to be young, they should be allowed to disport themselves after the manner of youth, and this has resulted in the formation of dancing, card playing, smoking and theatricals. On this account many have succeeded in a membership because they are things are not compatible with the aim of the Association. This has not altered the position of the authorities. At the Y. W. C. A. Assembly Rooms the dancing continues, as well as any other recreation, justifies the members care to indulge in.

lowered to the level of a baby in a dark basement for 17 years until found by a street house. Her mother was ashamed of the girl's deformity and did not call for medical aid.

The girl was the first "mong" plaything the girl ever had. She spent most of her childhood sleeping, but during her short time awake played with dolls and cradles from the street given her.

Bread and other coarse food, physicians said, had apparently been her only nourishment. She saw more persons at the hospital than in all her previous life.

Dr. Bernard Klein, the physician who had charge of the girl, said no definite announcement of her possibilities could be made until a more thorough examination was completed.

If possible, the physicians hope to develop the girl to maturity physically within two years. Her mental training will have to be the same as that of a baby.

"It is a peculiar case and we will have to proceed slowly," Doctor Klein said. The physical deformity of the girl may be corrected, physicians say.

BIG PURSE FOR BOB



Bob Martin is wanted in England. Bob Welch, London, promoter, has offered the A. E. F. champ the biggest purse the kid ever saw. A guarantee of \$20,000 for one go! Not much as purses go nowadays, but to Fighting Bob it is a whopper. Martin's trip is temporarily delayed. There's talk of staying the night or champ in a London ring with J. J. Heckett.

Centralized Government Up This Week

(CONTINUED FROM PAGE ONE) period were formed just week, and before adjournment of the legislature Thursday the committee began their work. Streets is being held open in question of Jackson prison in town of Warden L. Hollibaugh's request for a bond issue of \$3,000,000 both to build a new prison a few miles from the Jackson city limits.

One of the more important proceedings during last week in which the legislature was interested was that the state legislature took many women's clubs in the state. The chief result of this meeting will be an effort to have the mothers pension act amended to permit payment of a higher weekly allowance in mothers with one or two children.

An echo of the proposal of national leaders to pass a conscription bill amendment was heard in the legislature last week. Under a bill introduced in the house by Representative Willson O. Lee of Port Huron, all public amusements would be prohibited on Memorial Day in Michigan. Representative Lee is one of the two, A. B. members in the house.

The Port Huron legislature of Michigan of another bill last week that attracted wide comment throughout the state. It would provide punishment for houses or apartment owners who refuse to rent their property to families with children. A fine of \$500 or 30 days in jail or both, is provided in the bill for violators on the first offense.

Senator Henry P. Baker of Westland paved the way for the first legislative inquiry of the session with a resolution providing for an investigation of the Patriotic Fund as suggested by the mission. The resolution was adopted in the senate.

In the house a bill was introduced calling for repeal of the law that created the commission.

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UNCLE SAM, M. D.—FIRST AID TREATMENT FOR SUFFOCATION

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In severe cases, when the patient is still breathing, a few drops of ammonia water sprinkled on the handkerchief and held under the nose, once a minute, is beneficial, and if he can swallow give one-half teaspoonful of aromatic spirits of ammonia in half a glass of water.

If breathing has ceased, loosen the collar and any tight clothing around the neck and chest, and use artificial respiration, continuing this at least two hours, or until the patient begins to breathe regularly of his own accord. Then put the patient to bed and give stimulants.

APPENDICITIS

I had my operation for appendicitis a few years ago and now, long after the time, but have not continued trouble since. It would hurt at times so I would be unable to do my house work. I have been to many doctors and they don't seem to know what it is or what to do. It is getting worse all the time.

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WINDOW GLASS WORKERS OPPOSE WAGE REDUCTION.

Joe. Neenan, Cleveland, president of the National Window Glass Workers' association, at a meeting of the National Glass Distributors' association, declared that all organized labor in the industry, through its general officers, had agreed to give each other all financial and moral support to stabilize the industry. Mr. Neenan said the union organizations had decided to assist each other against any attempt to lower the existing standard of wages.

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