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CALLS ON TAFT TO SUPPORT IMPEACHMENT

New Group Lines Up Behind LaFollette Like Tinder Before UNITED TO

BISBEE, ARIZONA,

Senators and Representatives and Members-Elect Meet Behind Closed Doors

ture of Progressives' Conference Today

WASHINGTON, Dec. 1 .- Another unofficial "bloc" in congress was born today when Progressives, Republicus and Democrats, called into session by Senator La Follette, Republican of Wisconsin, and Representative Huddleston, Democrat of Alabama, formed a progressive group for promotion of progressive legislation during the present and the next con-

About forty senators, representatives and members-elect, meeting behind closed doors in the senate agriresolutions unanimously declaring their purpose "to drive special privflege out of control of government" and outlining a general program of liberal legislation

Politics were declared to be banned and it was announced officially that no third party movement was contemplated. Republicans, Democrats and a Farmer-Laborite joined in the conference, which was declared to be bi-partisan and legislative, but not political.

Organization of the new bloc which is similar to the unofficial senate farm bloc and includes many of the latter' members, is to be followed by two open meetings tomorrow of Progressives from all parts of the country. Between 100 and 200 are expected for a morning meeting and the progressive conference will close tomorrow night with a dinner, for which accomodations for 800 have been made. The speakers at the dinner, it is announced, will include Samuel Untermyer, New York attorney; senator La Follette and Rormer Senator Bristow of Kansas. The morning meeting will be an "open forum" for exposition of Progressive opinion and the speakers will be

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Uncle of Burge on **Trial Charged With Attempted Bribery**

of D. O. Dunn, charged with attempted bribery of a state witness in the selecting a jury.

and inability to get important witness sidewalk to sidewalk with red, white

Dunn is alleged to have bought to weld closer. James Todd, a witness against Burge acquitted yesterday of a charge of murdering Iver Enge, a ticket to Gal. try home of Joseph Pulitzer, publisher hip, N. M., in an effort to get Todd out of the St. Louis Post Dispatch, was the result of the alleged misconduct of the court's jurisdiction before under heavy guard. Plue coated po- of students at the naval ball on the Burge went on trial. Dunn is an un- licemen, with riot guns on their shoul night of the football game. Hear cle of Burge.

Taking of testimony will start to-

Weather Report

ARIZONA: Saturday unsettled, ex cept extreme southwest portion, possibly snow flurries northeast portion. Sunday generally fair not much change in temperature.

NEW MEXICO: Saturday and Sun day generally fair, slightly warmer extreme north portion.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA Cloudy LOCAL WEATHER REPORT Readings made at 7 o'clock last evening for preceding 24 hours:

Lowest temperature 39. Highest

Direction of wind: S Weather: Clear.

Lowest temperature this month 39. Highest 60. Total precipitation to this date last year 16.77 inches.

Further Rioting in Mexico City Looked for; Federal Troops Held in Readiness to Quell Outburst

Demonstration of Thursday Night Resulted in Death of 17 Persons and More Than 60 Wounded; Killing of Comrades Rouses Ire of Labor Organizations

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 1 .- (By the As- as a sign of mourning for eight of its sociated Press)- The federal troops members who were killed during the were held in barracks today in antici- disturbances. The strike will contin-PROMOTE LEGISLATION pation of another demonstration similar to that of Thursday night when prised the bulk of the demonstrators Open Meeting Will Be Fea- 17 persons were killed and more than Thursday night, assumed a defiant atlice firing upon a mob which was at appeared in various sections of the tempting to storm the city hall in an- city and shouted investives against ger over the shortage of water.

ately called on its adherents to strike of resentment.

SAN DIEGO, Cal., Dec. 1 .-

Fifteen persons were drowned

when the motorship Isabella was

wrecked in a tropical hurricane

October 15, according to a report

brought here by the Mexican

steamer Guerrero, which ground-

ed during the same hurricane.

The Guerrero was towed to San

Diego by the British wrecking

steamer Algerine. Both depart-

ed to day for San Pedro where

The Guerrero was the first to

the Guerrero will be repaired.

go ashore and the Isabella fol-

lowed soon after. The latter ves

sel was engulfed by heavy seas

and of the 17 persons aboard

only a young girl and a man

were saved. The Guerrero was

salvaged after a months work

and the Algerine took her in

ue until tomorrow noon.

The radical elements which comthe city administration. It was not

Girl and Man Sole Eleven Members of Survivors of Ship Crew Perish When Wreck; 15 Drowned

HOUGHTON, Mich., Dec. 1 .-Eleven men members of the crew of the Canadian steamer Maplehurst, lost their lives early this morning when the ship went ashore at the upper or canal entrance to the Keweenaw waterway. Nine others were heroically saved by Captain Charles A. Tucker and the members of the crew of the coast guard station at the Canal.

Not a single life would have been lost. Captain Tucker de-. clared if the men on the steamer had acted promptly and jumped when he told them to, into the coast guard power boat as he brought it alongside the Maple-

to Insure Safety of Aged French Statesman

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 1 .- (By the Asso-

on the ground of personal prejudice wire support had been draped from gentlemanly manner.

But Clemenceau, resting at the coun ders walked post about the house. In-

of black troops in the war in connect at the ball. He also stated that he tion with his controversy with Sena- was unable to attend the ball and tor Hitchcock about presence of ne- returned to Annapolis immediately this afternoon that pleased him great-

Louis called at the Pulitzer home and improper conduct. left him a hugh bouquet of American Beauty roses. The card read:

ice rendered by negro troops.

"Vive la France," and read him the card.

Elaborate Precautions Taken Naval Inquiry Into Alleged in the admiralty's "return." Drinking Scandal Fails to

Uncover Improper Acts

ANNAPOLIS, Md., Dec. 1.-The ciated Press)-St. Louis was gaily be. first day of inquiry by the naval inch guns wre inferior because of decked in French and American flags board of investigation, appointed by world war lessons to those carrying tonight to do honor to Georges Clem- Secretary Denby of the navy to in- heavier calibres, and in that sence PRESCOTT, Ariz., A motion of the enceau, Tiger of France, who arrived vestigate the alleged drinking scandefense for continuance of the case here this morning on his American dal and disgraceful conduct by midshipmen after the Army-Nevy footmurder trial of Thomas W. Burge, was For miles through the business sec- ball game at Philadelphia last Satblocked in the superior court here to- tion, where he will ride in a parade urday, showed no testimony to subday and the entire day was spent in in the morning, prior to his address at stantiate the report that any of the 2 o'clock in the Odeon, every trolley midshipmen acted in other than a

> The board adjourned after its sesand blue of the two republics he hopes sion today and will recovere again on Monday.

It developed that the administraacademy are virtually on trial as side, two plain clothes men kept vigil. witness to be called before the Chief of Police O'Brien insisted the board. He testified that he had precautions were merely the usual direct supervision over arrangements of Mrs. Wilson.

of the negro citizens committee of St. duty or not, to report any acts of

of service to your own people, and midshipmen and head of the disci- at Chicago for burial Monday. dance committee.

> Commander Kurtz testified that the vited. time and in good order.

SATURDAY MORNING, DECEMBER 2, 1922

Announcement Ships Already Destroyed 'Obsolete'

Process of Breaking Up; Eight Others Named

The embassy statement declared that "none of these vessels were obslete in the sense of the Washington treaty," and R. Leslie Craegie had it not been for the Washington conference none of these ships would have been scrapped."

Both the embassy statement and Mr. Cragie took exception specifical- can immigration kuota law. Wednesday, saying that so far, the actual scrapping of warships in the United States, Great Britain and sels which are formally classified by ing of the Greeks in Turkey back to les and ammunition. Japan, alike, had "affected only veseach power as wholly obsolete for

naval purposes." The information on which this dispatch was based, so far as Great Britain was concerned is contained in a "return" to the house of commons made by the British admiralty and printed in July, 1922 showing ships which comprise the fleet of the British empire but "ommit-

None of the eight ships enumerated as sold for breaking up are included These ships are the battleships

cent, Temeraire, Hercules, and Nep- seized by the Turks during the Smyr- exist for Hong, and although it was bill, that he "could not countenance tune, and the battl cruisrs Inflxibl na disaster and sent into the interior the nearest entrance, he climbed the the methods employed in the prosecuand Indominabl, all armd with 12 under duress. all 12 inch gun ships were classified during the treaty discussion as "ob-

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tion at the United States naval Simple Rites Will Mark Services Over Body of Veteran Member of Congress

WASHINGTON, Dec. 1. - Funeral Mann, Illinois, who died at his home here last night will be held tomorrow for the trip of the midseipmen to afternoon in the hall of the house of grave from which her body was taken thousands of dollars. The Tiger's defense of the service nothing of the reported drinking peaceful and stormy days, for more Pallacelphia, but stated he knew representatives where he served, in

There will be no eulogies by his asgroes on the Rhine, brought a reaction after the game owing to the illness sociates. The rites will be conducted had been submitted to the district atby the Rev. James E. Freeman, rector torney. Dr. Dennard said that while He said it was the duty of any of Epiphany Episcopal church, Wash. she had been dealt a heavy blow on Mrs. Alice Dudgeon was convicted in Not long after his arrival, delegates naval officer present, whether on ington, which Mr. Mann attended and Dr. J. Shera Montgomery, the house Others called as witnesses before chaplain. Late in the day the body, the board today were Commander in charge of a congressional escort of and a coat had been placed over her fected when the verdict was read but Sanchez, guard at the state peniten-"In honor and esteem of your life Thomas W. Kurtz, commandant of honor will be taken to his old home face. The body bore other evidences, declined to make a statement. She is tiary here, was arrested today on a

for your noble sentiment fearlessly plinary department, and Midshipmen The president, the cabinet, the su- gained consciousness in the grave in ton on December 11, along with her by A. M. Edwards, assistant district expressed as to the meritorious serv- George Castera, chairman of the preme court, the diplomatic corps and a vacant lot and then fought against daughter, Meda Hodell, who was con- attorney, in connection with the killthe senate and house have been in death.

for the Illinois veteran

Embassy Takes Exception to United States Especially Will Be Asked to Relax on Immigration Laws

LIST VESSELS SCRAPPED OVERCROWD COUNTRY

Eight Warships Sold and in Asserts Proposed Exodus of the opposite side of the town, fighting Greeks From Turkey Would Swamp Refugee Centers

staged last night's parade of protest see a repetition of the disorder as the sociated Press)-In explanation of ciated Press)-Greece must ask the that they had the fire under control, against the aldermen, held an extend- killing of theid comrades has aroused the statement regarding the scrap- great powers, especially the United though several dwellings still were ed meeting this morning and immedi- the labor organizations to high pitch ping of warships made in the house States to relax their immigration laws burning. of commons Wednesday by a repre- and admit Greek subjects, M. Venizesentative of the British admiralty, los informed the Lausanne conference the British embassy tonight made today, if the project to send Greek res public a list of eight capital ships idents in Turkey back to Greece was 'already sold and removed by ship so framed as to include Greek resibreaking firms for breaking up." dents in Constantinople. He said that Eight other vessels were named as his fellow countrymen in Constanti-Steamer Piles Up in the first stages of scrapping as nople number about 500,000, and that defined in the Washington naval Greece, already overburdened with refugees, was in no position to take care of them.

Lord Curzon, supported Venizelos and declared that it would be a great secretary of the embassy, said that doing so much for commerce in Conmisfortune if the Greeks, who were stantinople had to leave that city. There was a general discussion of the subject and references to the Ameri-

to Turkey.

of an Italian delegate.

Copies of this return are in the territory who would be affected by the They noted that Lee Yee Hong, Through the influence of a secret .

the Lausanne Near East peace confer-

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Wife's Murder; Find Body in blue steel, the brass knuckles and immigration officials, who said that Onick I image Filled Countries and immigrants who arrived on the Quick Lime Filled Grave

Wednesday

report of Dr Karl Dennard, assistant medical examiner of Bronx county, ended her life.

as a material witness.

Advance of Flames

About 200 Buildings Enveloped by Fire; 1200 Homeless; \$1,000,000 Damage

NEWBERN, N. C., Dec. 1.-Approximately 1200 persons, most of them negroes, were made homeless, about 200 residences, two churches, two warehouses and several small stores were destroyed and loss estimated at \$1,000,000 was caused by fire which late today swept 20 blocks in the west ern section of Newbern.

The flames, starting in the negro section, gained great headway before Formal Demand Is Made for a high wind at the start, because the local fire department was engaged on a fire at the Roper Lumber Company's sawmill, where \$300,000 damage was estimated to have been done.

The wind tonight had diminished The confederation of labor, which considered unlikely that tonight would WASHINGTON, Dec. 1.—(By the Assolute A

Revolvers, Munitions, Brass Oyster, Mr. Gomper's secretary. Knuckles and Opium Are Included in Seizure

NEW YORK, Dec. 1.—Operating on reports of a threatened tong war, to obtain the release of Charles W Special Deputy Police Commissioner Morse. A report compiled by Dr. Fridljof Simon and detectives today raided. The reason why Mr. Keller desired ly to a dispatch of the Associated Nansen, outlining a scheme for the Hip Sing tong headquarters in Chi- to have Chief Justice Talt and Mr. exchange of Grecian and Turkish pop- natown, arrested the president, Lee Wickersham testify were set forth in ulations, was read. It was based on Yet Hon, and confiscated 15 pistols, peace of both countries lay in the send a box of daggers and a brass knuck- in 1907 for alleged land frauds against

Greece and the Turks in Greece back. Simultaneously another squad con- quently pardoned by President Taft. ducted a raid on a shop near the He alleged that William J. Burns, now The entire problem of prisoners and Hip Sing headquarters which net- chief of the bureau of investigation of populations was referred to a special ted four prisoners and quantities of the department of justice and then sub-commission composed of represendrugs. For five weeks detectives, employed by the government, "got pos tatives of Greece, Turkey, England, assuming the garb of Chinese, lived session in advance" of the prospec-France and Italy under the presidency in China town, anticipating reprisals tive jurors who were to be called in for the death of Ko Tow, national the trial of Jones, and placed opposite In addition to the Greek population president of the Hip Sing tong who their names a notation as to their soin Constantinople, it is estimated was shot in the doorway of the called fitness from a prosecuting ting obsolete ships of all classes." there are 360,000 Moslems in Grecian Chinese Delmonico's last August 8th. standpoints

hands of government officials here. exchange project, and about half a mil state president of the Hip Sing tong, service agent associated as a defendlion Greeks in Asia Minor. The Greek never went alone, for wherever he ant, he said, "Jones was induced to in the embassy statement tonight prisoners in the hands of the Turks appeared, two otehr Chinese were accept as jurors men to whom other are estimated at 30,000 and the Turk- beside him; that the door at 15 wise he would have objected. Attorish prisoners in the hands of the Pell street, a foot from the famous ney General Wickersham after inves-Greeks at 10,000. M. Venizelos assert tong bulletin board, where tong tigating the circumstances reported Dreadnaught, Bellerophon, St. Vin. ed that 100,000 Greek males had been wars centered years ago, did not to Mr. Taft as set forth in the Keller roofs and entered his quarters by tion of these cases by requiring an a secret opening; that by night, fur. enforcement of the sentence imposed WASHINGTON, Dec. 1.—The admin tive groups of Chinamen scrambled in the Jones case." istration believes that the achieve over the same roofs, all lowering On receipt of the report by Mr. ments of the American delegates at themselves into the tong headquar- Wickersham, President Taft promptly ters, carrying bundles.

Today the detectives, stationed at strategic points on the roofs, watched while Dr. Carleton Simon, head of the narcotic division, William H. Williams, special treasury agent, and police officers, went up the narrow hallway to the tong rooms.

In the president's rooms, they say. were, Hong's two body guards, smoking opium. Both were arrested, Taxi Chauffeur Indicted for I othem were found the pistols, all June 30, 1923, it was announced by

In a large hollow idol in the assembly room, the squad say they Contereoso early today exhausted the NEW YORK, Ded. 1. - Abraham found fourteen packages of opium services for Representative James R. Becker, taxicab chauffeur, was in and 100 poppy heads from which the ber quota by 355, dicted today for the murder of his drug is extracted. More opium was wife, Jennie, who, authorities believe, found upon ripping the floors. Its tic to get immigration preference, but was buried alive in a quick lime filled value, Dr. Simon stated, was in their race ended in a tie, both ships

The official theory that the woman was buried alive was formed after the Aged Woman Found

WHITE CLOUD, Mich., Dec. 1.— Prison Guard Held the head, it was of a nature that circuit court here tonight on a charge would have stunned her, and not of having murdered her son-in-law, Romie Hodell

he reported, that the woman had re- to be sentenced by Judge Joseph Bar- charge of murder on complaint filed victed three weeks ago of slaying her ing of Martin Baldanado, a convict Ruden Norkin, a welder, who led the father-in-law, David Hodell. A charge who was slain during the food strike "Splendid, I am deeply touched." midshipmen had leave after the game | President Harding said he hoped to district attorney to the grave and as- of murder pending against the daugh- at the penitentiary July 10. In addithe Tiger said when Louis Lefever, until Sunday afternoon. He said attend because of the "very great rev- serted Becker had told him she was ter for the death of the younger tion to the killing of Baldonado, five his secretary, showed him the bouquet that all midshipmen reported on erence, personal and official." he had buried there, was held in \$10,000 bail Hodel, will not be prosecuted, it was convicts were wounded when fired announced

Would Also Summons Gompers and Former Attorney General as Witnesses

14 SPECIFIC GROUNDS

Papers Keller Asserts in Custody of Department

WASHINGTON, Dec. 1 .- Representative Kellar, Republican of Minnesota, in a statement today to the house judiciary committee, named Chief Justice Taft as a witness to be called in support of the Kellar demand for the impeachment of Attorney General Daugherty. Testimony of the chief justice was desired, Mr. Kellar wrote in connection with the latter's chargethat Attorney General Daugherty had appointed to high office "untrustworthy, corrupt and dangerous men."

Other witnesses he intimated he would summon include George W. Wickersham, former attorney general, Samuel Gompers, president of the Am erican Federation of Labor and Guy

In his charges, formally filed, Mr. Keller set forth 14 specific grounds for the impeachment, alleging that Mr. Daugherty had practiced "fraud and deceit" on Mr. Taft, while president,

his bill of particulars. He cited the case of William N. Jones, convicted the government in Oregon and subse-

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Italian Ships Race Across Ocean to Be First to Discharge

NEW YORK, Dec. 1. - Immigrants Olaf Lempbeke, safe expert of the from Italy will not be permitted to police squad, opened two depositories enter, the United States until after Italian steamers Giuseppe Verdi and yearly quota and exceeded the Decem

The vessels raced across the Atlan splashing their anchors in American waters one minute after midnight. The monthly quota was divided proportionately between them, the Giu-Guilty of Murder seppe Verdi being 159 in excess and the Contereoso 196.

on Murder Charge

Her hands and fet had been bound The aged defendant was visibly af SANTA FE, N. M., Dec. 1.-Toriblo