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RUSS STAY AWAY; ONLY GERMANS AT PARLEY

SLAVS INSIST UPON NEGOTIATIONS AT STOCKHOLM; TURKEY SENDS PROPOSALS.

(By Associated Press.) LONDON, Jan. 5.—When the central powers' peace delegates arrived at Brest-Litovsk they were unable to find the Russian envoys, according to a Vienna dispatch. Nothing awaited them but a telegram from the Russians, asking them to transfer negotiations to Stockholm.

(By Associated Press.) LONDON, Jan. 5.—Free passage in the Dardanelles for Russian ships, Russian evacuation of Turkish territory and demobilization of the Russian Black sea fleet are provided in Turkish peace terms presented to Russia, according to an Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Petrograd. Turkey is to retain her army for war on the entente allies.

(By Associated Press.) LONDON, Jan. 5.—The Petrograd correspondent of the London Times writes the Ukrainians are determined to send a mission to Brest-Litovsk to ascertain Germany's intentions toward Little Russia.

(By Associated Press.) WILKESBARRE, Pa., Jan. 5.—An explosion in the Barnum mine at Pittston today entombed 100 workers. Four are believed to have been killed when a vein in the Barnum coal mine collapsed. Hundreds were in the mine.

(By Associated Press.) WASHINGTON, Jan. 5.—The senate committee investigating sugar devoted all the time yesterday to hearing J. V. Knight, testifying as a trade adviser for the Cuban government and a contributor to trade newspapers. Knight said Cuban sugar producers were dissatisfied with the price of \$4 agreed upon between the Cuban government and the state department and predicted that the discontent would cause decreased production next year.

(By Associated Press.) LOS ANGELES, Cal., Jan. 5.—President Wilson today nominated John Robert O'Connor United States attorney of the Southern district of California.

CONGRESS RECEIVES SERBIAN WAR MISSION

(By Associated Press.) WASHINGTON, Jan. 5.—The senate today received the Serbian war mission to America. Dr. Milenko Vesitch, head of the mission, praised the attitude of America, and voiced unshakable faith that this country would lead the nations of the world into the "mountain of perfect peace" and become the arbiter of them all.

COAL FAMINE IN N. Y. UNRELIEVED

TUNNEL AND FERRY BOAT RUSH FUEL; COLD WEATHER CONTINUES.

(By Associated Press.) NEW YORK, Jan. 5.—Despite efforts to relieve the situation, the city today experienced its worst results from the cold since Christmas. Use of the Pennsylvania Railroad tunnels under the Hudson river to hasten coal into the city has aided somewhat in relieving districts in Brooklyn and Long Island, but has not accomplished as much as was expected.

Table with 2 columns: Time and Temperature/Weather observations.

JAPAN WOULD REJECT ANY SEPARATE PEACE

(By Associated Press.) MEXICO CITY, Jan. 4.—If the enemy proposes a separate peace Japan will reject it, no matter how advantageous it may be, Baron Fugitari Otori, Japanese minister to Mexico, declared today. Japan, he said, is co-operating in the war to its full extent.

(By Associated Press.) SACRAMENTO, Cal., Jan. 5.—The state board of control today appointed Charles J. Keane to have charge of the state motor vehicle department under Joseph Tehaney, secretary of the board. Keane established the new financial accounting system for the state of Arizona under Governor Campbell and formerly held a position as accountant of the state board of control in California.

(By Associated Press.) CHICAGO, Jan. 5.—Despite bad weather conditions, there is practically no congestion of freight on western railroads, it was reported at the meeting of executive officers of western roads here. Shippers are giving the fullest cooperation in the effort to handle the abnormally heavy tonnage due to war conditions, it was said.

(By Associated Press.) GRAND JUNCTION, Tenn., Jan. 5.—Kandy Kid, owned by C. E. Duffield of Tulsa, Okla., and handled by C. H. Harris of Lamar, Miss., won the Subscription stake of the all-American field trials here yesterday. Lady Mohawk, owned by Benjamin Weil of Alexandria, La., was second, and Old Joe's Vick, owned by H. D. Garr of LaGrange, Ky., was third.

JAP SHIPS IN CONVOY ROUT SUBS

CORRESPONDENT TELLS OF MISERABLE CONDITION OF PRISONERS TAKEN BY FRENCH.

(By Associated Press.) INTENSE GERMAN FIRE IN THE CAMBRAI SECTION GAVE WAY YESTERDAY TO A LOCAL ATTACK BY GERMAN INFANTRY. THERE WERE ARTILLERY DUELS AT VITAL POINTS IN FRANCE AND ITALY. TWO SCORE AIRPLANES WERE REPORTED DESTROYED BY THE VARIOUS WAR OFFICES.

(By Associated Press.) TOKIO, Jan. 5.—Enemy submarines, attempting to attack British transports convoyed by Japanese warships in the Mediterranean on December 30, were repulsed, the admiralty announces.

(By Associated Press.) WITH THE ITALIAN ARMY IN NORTHERN ITALY, Jan. 5.—The correspondent was given an opportunity to go among the prisoners captured by the French in the Monte Tombe success. The prisoners were a miserable lot, the officers being in poorer shape than the men. None had overcoats and all were wearing light trench uniforms when captured. The men had stout boots, overcoats and leggings. They were of all ages. Each got a small tin of meat and a large chunk of bread. They said it was the best food they had eaten in a week. All were heartily sick of the war and said the Germans were keeping the others in the fight.

U. S. MAY TAKE OVER ENTIRE MEAT INDUSTRY

(By Associated Press.) PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Jan. 5.—The government may take over the meat industry of the country, the session of the federal trade commission indicated today. An official connected with the commission prophesied the government intended to seize packing and allied industries, saying, "The government will assume control through receivership."

GEO. TAYLOR SWAPPED FOR PITCHER L. DOYLE

(By Associated Press.) CHICAGO, Jan. 5.—George Tyler of the Boston Nationals, rated as one of the most effective left-handed pitchers in the National league, was traded to the Chicago Nationals last night for Larry Doyle, the veteran second baseman, and Arthur Wilson, a catcher. In addition, President Weeghman of the Chicago club is reported to have added a check for \$15,000.

(By Associated Press.) LONDON, Jan. 5.—An official communication issued by the war office last night says General Allenby reports a further advance by a part of his line north of Jerusalem over a distance of a mile. WARREN RICHARDSON, the mining engineer, inspected the Tonopah Divide Mining company's property yesterday.

Germans Expand Air Plans; Fear U. S. Air Drive

(By Associated Press.) WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY IN FRANCE, Jan. 5.—Germany's plans for greatly increased aerial warfare are founded on published reports of the aerial plans of the United States, according to prisoners' documents. It is indicated the Germans have enlarged their plans, believing America intended putting machines by tens of thousands into the battle area. Ranking officers urge speedy and complete development of the American air service.

REVOLUTION IN SPAIN FEARED

(By Associated Press.) MADRID, Jan. 5.—While the government unearths a revolutionary movement all wire communication has been suspended. Premier Albucoman announced today the government is master of the situation.

LATE NEWS

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(By Associated Press.) AMSTERDAM, Jan. 5.—Hamburg, Germany's second largest city, is now entirely without street illumination at night, in consequence of the shortage of coal which has curtailed the output of gas and electricity.

(By Associated Press.) SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Jan. 5.—Soaking rains are needed throughout the state, the weather bureau declares. Rain is deficient, but in the northern part of the state has been sufficient to start a new grass crop. Big livestock losses in the southern part of the state are reported as due to lack of moisture.

ALLENBY CONTINUES PALESTINE ADVANCE

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OVERCOAT SHORTAGE NOW ENDED

BAKER MAKES FULL REPORT; SOME CAMPS STILL NOT FULLY SUPPLIED.

(By Associated Press.) WASHINGTON, Jan. 5.—Overcoat shortages at national guard and national army training camps were reported ended except at Camp Beauregard, Louisiana, by Secretary Baker in a further response yesterday to the senate military committee's resolution urging immediate steps to provide the soldiers with adequate winter clothing. Many of the camps are still short of woolen blouses, which the secretary said were particularly hard to obtain. The report was based upon the war department's latest telegraphic advices from the division commanders. Emergency express shipments and local purchases have been authorized and Mr. Baker expressed the belief that by today "all the men are comfortable."

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LOCAL MAN'S BROTHER WIRES HE'S IN FRANCE

(By Associated Press.) BRANCH H. SMITH, superintendent of the Monarch Pittsburg, received a wire this afternoon stating that his brother, Wynne Smith, had arrived safely in France. While Mr. Smith's brother is an assayer and chemist, he enlisted in the medical corps from the state of Idaho. He was employed for a short time in the mills at Millers some years ago, but returned to Idaho, which state has been his home for the past seventeen years.

WAR SUPPLY PROBE.

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SHAPE WATER POWER POLICY IN CONGRESS

(By Associated Press.) WASHINGTON, Jan. 5.—A definite legislative policy to develop the nation's waterpower is under consideration by house leaders. They are considering a bill approved by President Wilson designed to handle all waterpower problems through a commission composed of the secretary of war, secretary of the interior and secretary of agriculture.

SOCIALIST MAYOR MAY LEAVE PARTY

(By Associated Press.) MILWAUKEE, Wis., Jan. 5.—Mayor Daniel A. Hoan, elected to office on the Socialist ticket, has issued a statement saying he can not comply with the platform of the Socialist party adopted at St. Louis and at the same time obey the constitution and laws of the United States. He said the Milwaukee county central committee, the highest local Socialist governing body, held the same

NEW QUAKE KILLS MANY IN GUATAMALA

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WOOL INVENTORY.

(By Associated Press.) BOSTON, Jan. 5.—The annual canvass of the unsold stocks of wool throughout the country made by the Commercial Bulletin of January 1 shows total stocks in dealers' hands of \$5,519,827 pounds, compared with \$7,805,484 pounds on January 1, 1917. The Boston stocks in dealers' hands were 34,969,130 pounds, in addition to 1,294,596 pounds of tops and 2,544,101 pounds of noils, this year, compared with total stocks last year of 44,999,484 pounds.

TYPISTS DISCIPLINED.

(By Associated Press.) ALDERSHOT, England, Jan. 5.—Two women typists belonging to the Women's Auxiliary Army Corps overstayed their leave in London, and were, on their return to headquarters, handed over by the corps to the civil police for neglect of public duty. They were kept in the cells for two nights and were fined one guinea each the next day.

PITCHER IN CLASS ONE.

(By Associated Press.) NASHVILLE, Tenn., Jan. 5.—Fred Teney, pitcher for the Cincinnati Nationals, who recently was arrested by federal authorities here on the charge of conspiracy to violate the selective draft law, has been placed in class one by a local exemption board.

L. GEORGE SPEAKS ON WAR AIMS TO UNIONS

"WE OUGHT TO BE ABLE TO CLEARLY STATE TERMS," SAYS PREMIER.

(By Associated Press.) LONDON, Jan. 5.—Only the clearest, greatest and most just causes could justify the continuance even for a day of "this unspeakable agony of nations," declared Lloyd George in a speech today to the trades unions. "We ought to be able to state clearly and definitely not only the principles for which we are fighting, but their definite, concrete application to the map of the world," he said. "We have arrived at the most critical year of the conflict and before any government takes the fateful decision as to conditions under which it ought to terminate or continue the struggle, it ought to be satisfied that the conscience of the nation is behind those conditions."

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