WEATHER FORECAST
Tonight and Wednesday, Fair; Continued Cold.

TONOPAH DAILY BONANZA

METAL QUOTATIONS
SILVER $1.36¾
QUICKSILVER $100
COPPER 19½
LEAD $8.00

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Highway Commission Is Broken Up

Boyle Breaks With Leading Officeholders Who Spill Beans

BIG STRIKE AT AUSTIN CONFIRMED

AUSTIN, NEV., Jan. 13.
Special to The Bonanza.

J. H. Ingram has cut the ore at Birch Creek with the full face of the drift in high grade milling ore. Three to twelve inches will run into the thousands. This makes permanent the big strike of last summer which only remained to be confirmed by deep development. Birch Creek is now on the map and those who made locations there before the snow stopped operations, will be ready to go ahead as soon as the roads and trails open in the next sixty days.

U. S. GIVES UP CLAIM TO SHIPS

(By Associated Press)

PARIS, Jan. 13. In the supreme council today Hugh Wallace, American ambassador, raised the question whether the council intended to maintain the percentages previously adopted for distribution among the allies and associated powers of warship tonnage given up by Germany. Receiving no answer in the affirmative Ambassador Wallace informed the council that the United States in that case waived its claim to any part of the tonnage.

STOP BUILDING DREADNAUGHTS

(By Associated Press)

PARIS, Jan. 13.—Steps were taken by the cabinet today to stop the construction of five dreadnaughts of the Normandie class laid down just before the war, but never completed. Finance Minister Klotz was authorized to introduce a bill for this purpose.

JUGO SLAVS CLAIM LARGE SLICE LAND

(By Associated Press)

ROME, Jan. 13.—Giornale D'Italia says Jugo-Slavia representatives in Paris insist on annexation to Jugo-Slavia of eastern Istria, Fiume, Dalmatia, Dalmatian Islands and northern Albania, opposing even the creation of the independent state of Fiume.

HARRY NEW'S CASE MAY CLOSE TODAY

(By Associated Press)

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 13.—Counsel for the defense in the case of Harry New charged with the murder of Freda Lesser, have speeded the closing arguments and it is indicated the case might reach the jury today.

COMING FROM SIBERIA.

(By Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—A portion of the American expeditionary force in Siberia will be withdrawn immediately.

THE WEATHER

Local observer United States Weather Bureau.

Temperature Extremes:

Current	19	30
Wet bulb	24	29
Relative humidity	56	32
	1919	1918
Temperature:	6 a.m.	noon
Maximum yesterday	47	34
Minimum yesterday	31	25

FIRST FRENCH TOWN TO BE RESTORED

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—Vitriment, the adopted village of a group of California cities, is among the first of hundreds of French devastated towns to be fairly restored, according to a report of the American Red Cross.

LEGISLATURES CANNOT REPEAL RATIFICATIONS

(By Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13. State legislatures cannot under the law repeal ratification of the constitutional prohibition amendment, Wayne Wheeler, counsel for the anti-saloon league, declared today in a statement discussing recommendations for repeal made to lawmakers of New York and Maryland.

INCREASE WAGES KEY ROUTE MEN

(By Associated Press)

OAKLAND, Jan. 13.—The arbitration board which considered the demands of the employes of the Key Route Traction system for higher wages, shorter hours and changes in conditions of employment, rendered a report today increasing the pay of platform men six cents an hour, an approximate increase of $200 a year for each man. The demand for an eight-hour day was refused on the ground that the company cannot afford the change and would be thrown into bankruptcy if made.

NATIONS LEAGUE MEETS FRIDAY

(By Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—The first meeting of the council of the league of nations will be held in Paris Friday beginning at 10 30 in the morning. The call for the assembly which went out late yesterday, was issued in accordance with the Versailles treaty to President Wilson, whom the treaty makers designated for that duty.

BOLSHEVIKI PURSUE INNOCENT JEWS

(By Associated Press)

PARIS, Jan. 13. Polish and Russian Jews are fleeing at the approach of bolshevik bands between Kiev and Wolhynia according to reports from Warsaw. Ten thousand (Jews of these refugees are in a pitiable condition.

THOMAS B. RICKEY DIES IN OAKLAND

Thomas B. Rickey formerly president of the State Bank & Trust company, which failed on October 1, 1907, died yesterday at his home in Oakland where he has been for the other leaving Nevada soon after the failure of his string of banks. Mr. Rickey was eighty-four years old. He leaves a widow, two daughters and two grandchildren in Oakland and two grandchildren, Zelda and Roy Cornell in Carson City.

Mr. Rickey came to Nevada in 1868 and was for some years known as the cattle king of Nevada. The failure of the Rickey banks during the panic of 1907 precipitated the closing of all banks in the state temporarily with the New and Dennis nearly a few days later.

One Man Power Exposed In Very Stinging Letter From One Of the Board

The Boyle administration has been split wide open by a sensation that promises to become a huge scandal following Boyle's action with the state highway commission. The attitude of the retiring democrats is fully set forth in the accompanying letter from George K. Edler, formerly of Goldfield a Texas democrat and a man who has always yielded unswerving allegiance to the democratic state and national administration.

The story is told by the Gazette in the accompanying article:

Following the removal by Governor Boyle of W. B. Alexander as a director of the state department of highways George K. Edler yesterday mailed to the governor a letter of resignation from the same department, the resignation to take effect immediately. In his letter to Governor Boyle reasons for his action are set out in detail by Edler and the stand of himself and Alexander in establishing the Reno-Carson road on the east side of Washoe lake justified.

The removal of Alexander and the resignation of Edler make two vacancies on the board of directors of the department of highways and leaves that board without a working majority. James M. Leonard of Virginia City, is the third member of the board. Leonard has announced himself in favor of establishing the Reno-Carson road on the west side of Washoe lake.

Directors of the department of highways are appointed by the governor for three-year terms. They are subject to removal at any time with or without cause under the terms of the act creating the commission.

Edler's letter of resignation, which reached the governor's office today, reads:

January 10, 1920.

Hon. Emmet D. Boyle,
Governor State of Nevada,
Carson City, Nevada.

Dear Sir: I have just learned that you have this date annulled the commission of Mr. W. B. Alexander, director-chairman of the state department of highways for the expressed reason that he declined to carry out your wishes in the matter of the location of a certain piece of state highway. The question of the location of a piece of highway, to my mind, is a secondary consideration in this matter, in view of the fact that you state in your letter of this date to Mr. Alexander, and have stated to me personally, that your view was that the duties of a director of the department of highways were purely ministerial and that the department must become "in fact a true agency of the governor's administration."

Your position, to my mind, is opposed to sound policy, the public good and the spirit of the legislative act creating the department of highways and I have no other alternative than to sever my connection with this department, which I consider one of the most important in the state, giving as my particular reason, that I will not hold a position as a minister or agent of a governor to do his bidding without regard to the propriety of the act done. While it is true that the high-

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ARROWHEAD CON. SHAFT IN ORE

The strike reported to have been made in the shaft of the Arrowhead Consolidated last week at a depth of 95 feet has been confirmed. Mike Ibeta and W. G. Chettle, who were at the mine last week, state that ore very similar to that of the original Arrowhead was being hoisted to the surface at the time of their visit. E. B. Allred states that when he was at the property of the Arrowhead Cons., last week he was informed that the entire shaft was in good ore, and he took samples from that which had been hoisted to the surface, which was similar in character and value to that of the original strike.

The shaft of the Arrowhead Consolidated is being sunk on a different vein system from that of the original discovery, and therefore proves that at least one other vein in the district has been enriched by silver sulphides which is almost as important in relation to the future of the camp as the original discovery. Because it proves that at least one other vein of the district can be depended on to make mines, and gives additional hope that all other veins in the district will make good.

E. A. JULIAN HEADS MINE OPERATORS' ASS'N

E. A. Julian, general manager of the Wingfield interests at Tonopah and Divide, was elected president of the Nevada Mine Operators' association at the annual meeting in Reno yesterday, succeeding W. H. Blackburn.

Frederick Bradshaw, general manager of the Tonopah Belmont company, was elected first vice president, John C. Kirchen, general manager of the Tonopah Extension, second vice president and Harry M. Mason, secretary.

The directors are: E. A. Julian, Frederick Bradshaw, John C. Kirchen, Frank M. Manson, Arthur Lawry, N. J. Lerch, and W. H. Blackburn.

ANARCHISTS IN MADRID.

(By Associated Press)

MADRID, Jan. 13.—Many extremists were arrested here yesterday following discovery of a plot to bombard the capital with bombs, according to official information.

ASSASSINS OF AMERICANS IN MEXICO JAILED

(By Associated Press)

MEXICO CITY, Jan. 13. Three persons alleged to be assassins of Earl Boles and F. Roney, American oil men killed near Fort Lobos, have been arrested, according to a report from Colonel Sorozco, chief of operations in the Tampico district.

BULLFROG ROAD BRINGS PROTEST

A delegation of business men waited on the county commissioners today to protest against any action by the owners of the Bullfrog-Goldfield railroad between Goldfield and Beatty which serves as a connection of the Tonopah & Tidewater, to remove the rails or put the line out of business. This action was due to threats alleged to have been made by the Clark interests or their associates that the section had been bought by junk men who would proceed to dispose of it to the highest bidder. On the inside this is believed to have been used as a pretext to try to force the Tonopah & Tidewater into buying.

The district attorney was at the meeting and he gave it as his opinion that nothing could be done as the section formed part of an interstate line.

DEFENDER OF KUT RESIGNS FROM ARMY

(By Associated Press)

LONDON, Jan. 13.—Major General Charles Townsend, defender of Kut El Amara, has tendered his resignation to the war office. Townsend was imprisoned by the Turks when his garrison south of Bagdad was hemmed in and forced to surrender. He was released at the time of the armistice.

PEACE RATIFICATION CAUSE CONFERENCE

(By Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—With the announced purpose of seeking ways and means for peace ratification, a conference which the delegates said represented 20,000,000 Americans, began here today. Oscar Straus, former secretary of commerce and labor, presided.

THIRTEEN UNLUCKY FOR A VILLA BAND

(By Associated Press)

AGUA PRIETA, Mexico, Jan. 13.—Word reaching here today through military channels stated that thirteen members of a roaming Villa band were executed by General Gonzales, south of Ures, Sunday night.

COAL MANAGERS ACCEPT WITH RESERVATION

(By Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—Mine operators in the central competitive field today told the commission named to settle the bituminous coal strike that they would accept with a single reservation any award the commission might make. The operators said they would not be a party to the fixing of coal prices beyond the period of effectiveness of the Lever act. Ralph Crews, counsel for the operators, explained that without making this reservation the operators could not legally join any price fixing agreement.

SWIVEL CHAIRS GIVEN MEDALS

(By Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—Urging congressional investigation of the award of army decorations for service during the war, Representative Gallivan, democrat, declared in the house today that more distinguished service medals, in proportion, were awarded army officers who never got nearer the front than Washington than those who saw service overseas.

"The distinguished service medal has been cheapened and certainly ridiculed by the bold brazen manner in which it has been passed out to those who belonged to the elect," Gallivan said. "It has been used to placate those who had been removed to make room for some one else."

SENATE ACTION PUT OFF AGAIN

(By Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—The possibility of final senate action on the peace treaty by January 16 when the league of nations council will assemble in Paris, vanished today, according to republican and democratic leaders. Not before next week, spokesmen of both parties predicted, was any action probable. The democrats declared they would be satisfied if ratification is effected this month.

Y. W. C. A. AGENT DUE HERE TOMORROW

Miss Anna M. Baker state director of the Y. W. C. A. whose headquarters are in Reno, will arrive in Tonopah tomorrow morning. Miss Baker is touring the state in an educational campaign aiming to bring to the attention of the public the tremendous work for women in which the Y. W. C. A. is engaged. She will speak Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 at the home of Mrs. Roy Davenport, 471 Florence avenue. All those who are interested in the forward movement of women in the world, and in the broad constructive program of the Y. W. C. A. are cordially invited to attend this meeting. Miss Baker has had years of experience in social work and is an interesting and forceful speaker. In her talk she will touch upon the world-wide educational movement for women, to which the Y. W. C. A. stands as sponsor, as well as the definite national program for Americanization upon which the government of the United States has set the stamp of its approval, and which is already working so admirably in many communities. The opportunity to hear such a distinguished speaker as Miss Baker does not come every day and should not be neglected.

GHOULS PREY ON MOURNERS

(By Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—Charges by relatives of American soldiers buried in France that undertakers and others were attempting to commercialize their grief in connection with the movement to have bodies brought home, were presented to the senate today by Senator Thomas.

SCANLON MUST LEAVE TONOPAH

This afternoon Judge Mark R. Averill raised the bond of M. C. Scanlon, charged with syndicalism, to $5,000 unless he left town, when the bond would remain the same as previously stipulated.

The case came up on a demurrer to the complaint. Under an agreement between H. H. Atkinson, the district attorney, and George Vandeveer, attorney for the I. W. W., briefs were to be submitted. These briefs have not been received and therefore the court has nothing under submission. To allow ample time for Attorney Vandeveer to file his brief the court extended for six weeks the time before setting the case. During that period it was ordered that Scanlon, according to his previous bond, leave town and remain away unless he gave bond in $5,000. Defendant was given until Sunday to decide as he represented that he had a deal pending for the sale of some Divide property.

LABOR DENOUNCES AMERICAN LEGION

(By Associated Press)

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 13.—Resolutions endorsing the American Legion and announcing that the federation had gone on record for repeal of the state criminal syndicalism law were adopted at a meeting of the executive committee of the California State Federation of Labor.

ALIEN EXCLUSION.

(By Associated Press)

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 13.—Governor Stephens is urged to call a special session to consider alien legislation.

DEMPSEY CALLED A SLACKER

(By Associated Press)

FORT WAYNE, Jan. 13.—Condemning Jack Dempsey as an unfit representative of American athletes, Fort Wayne post of the American Legion, unanimously passed a resolution declaring opposition to his defending the championship title for America.

(By Associated Press)

CLEVELAND, O., Jan. 13.—Condemnation of the war record of Jack Dempsey was voiced in a resolution unanimously adopted by the American Legion post here. The resolution contained appreciation of the war record of Georges Carpentier.

(By Associated Press)

INDIANAPOLIS, Jan. 13.—Various posts of the American Legion are acting independently of the national organization in condemning Jack Dempsey, heavyweight champion, on his war record, according to information given out here today.

COST MARKING NOT SUSTAINED

(By Associated Press)

HELENA, Jan. 13.—Judge George Bourquin in the federal court granted an injunction today against the Montana trade commission halting operation of the order which would compel retail dealers to mark the cost price upon goods offered for sale in this state.

ECUADOR ELECTS A NEW PRESIDENT

(By Associated Press)

GUAYAQUIL, Ecuador, Jan. 13.—Dr. Jose Tampayo, former president of the senate and candidate of the liberals, was elected president of the republic yesterday. Gonzalo Cordova, former minister to Washington and candidate of the conservatives, withdrew from the contest.

BUTLER THEATRE
—TODAY—
GLADYS BROCKWELL
in
"BROKEN COMMANDMENTS"
and
FORD EDUCATIONAL WEEKLY
and MUTT & JEFF
Tomorrow
PAULINE FREDERICK
in "BONDS OF LOVE"
A Thrilling Romance"
Coming Soon
MARY PICKFORD
Watch for Date