

CONSTRUCTION AT SWAN LAKE TO BEGIN SOON

The construction of the Swan lake water extension work is to be started soon, according to city officials. An impounding basin which will be able to furnish Seattle 50,000,000 gallons of water per day, will be one of the features of the new structure.

The work will take between two and three years for completion, according to Superintendent Youngs, of the water department.

Bonds for \$3,700,000 have been voted for the construction of the work and \$750,000 has been temporarily loaned from the Skagit river fund to the Swan lake project to facilitate early construction of the work.

BEWARE OF ALL FAKE SOLDIERS

Reports reaching the headquarters of the World War Veterans' association and American Legion of Liberty here are that people are being victimized by "fake" soldiers, soliciting funds for these institutions. Warning is issued that no solicitation for funds is conducted by either organization. The police have been notified.

Talk Deportation in Jerome Region

JEROME, Ariz., Feb. 13.—Talk of wholesale deportation of alleged radical agitators from the Jerome mining district was heard here today.

It followed the arrest of seven men connected with the copper miners' strike, late yesterday, by agents of the department of justice. They are being held for possible deportation as undesirable citizens.

N. J. Mills Open; Strikers at Work

TRENTON, N. J., Feb. 13.—The textile mills opened their gates today to the striking silk workers. The strike was apparently ended by the agreement to refer the workers' demands to the national war labor board for settlement.

NEW STUDENT SOCIETY
A new student society, Calva et Ossa, for those majoring in pharmacy, was formed at the University of Washington yesterday.

Peggy Marsh Wins \$100,000 in Suit Over Her Baby Boy



She's a London showgirl who lived with Henry Field, grandson of Marshall Field, famous Chicago merchant, before young Field was married. To obtain for herself and son, Henry Anthony Marsh (whose father she declares is Henry Field), the income she says Field promised her, the young mother went into court and obtained from the Field estate a life income consisting of the interest on \$100,000. Field died soon after marrying Nancy Perkins, a Virginia heiress. A question still undecided is whether young Henry Anthony Marsh, now aged 2½, will inherit his father's share of the great Marshall Field estate.

DENOUNCE REDS IN MEETING OF LABOR COUNCIL

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council for voting extra money for police protection.

Opponents of Nauman even kidnapped him at one time, in order to secure away of the general strike situation, he declared. Nauman was rescued after but a short imprisonment and returned to the Labor temple.

Asked for further details today concerning his being kidnapped, Nauman refused any other information.

Green in Hiding
Leon Green, alleged agitator who hails from Eugene is now in hiding as the result of the general strike, according to an announcement by Hulet M. Wells, former president of the council. Wells asserted that Green had aroused so much antagonism thru charges which were made against him of trying to keep the hospital without light, that his friends had spirited him away.

Green, as head of the Electrical Workers' union, was prominent in the controversy with Mayor Hanson when it appeared at one time that the city might be thrown into darkness thru the walkout of electrical employees. Wells asserted that a plot was on foot to have Green arrested on a trumped up charge by federal agents, and that his arrest would be followed by assassination.

Charles H. Gallant, electrical worker, took Green's place as delegate in the Central Labor council.

Ten men, who have been prominent in the formation of the Soldiers and Sailors' council, have been arrested during the past few days, according to claims made by Wells and other delegates. They were booked on open charges at the police station and released, in some cases on \$1,000 bail. F. J. Cassidy, socialist leader and candidate for the city council, is held in the city jail on an open charge.

The labor council appointed Councilman Robert Hesketh and T. H. Holton, labor's representatives in the city government, to investigate the arrests of the labor men.

To Go Into Politics
Electrical workers presented a resolution to the council, asking that a per capita tax be placed on all union men in the city to raise a fund to elect a labor mayor for Seattle, and three councilmen. After discussion, the proposal was referred to a committee.

Debate on this subject was mixed with accusations against the present labor councilmen for not having the city council hold a special meeting to consider the strike situation.

OAKLAND YARDS' CONTRACTS ARE NOW SUSPENDED

OAKLAND, Cal., Feb. 13.—Contracts for seven steel ships to have been built here have been cancelled and contracts for six others suspended, it was learned today. The shipping board's telegram announcing the action gave no reason.

The seven contracts cancelled were for the Moore Shipbuilding Co., where a strike is in progress. The six contracts suspended are held by the Union Iron works.

California yards have within the past few weeks seen 49 contracts for steel ships either suspended or cancelled. The figure involved is approximately \$77,000,000.

Whereas it is believed the shipping board cancelled the contracts held by the Moore company because of the strike here, the general opinion is that the action comes as a result of the more extensive policy developed by the shipping board for building peace time ships.

Keels of the steel ships affected had not been laid. General Manager Piez in Philadelphia recently announced thru the United Press that these ships planned to win the war were not suitable for peace-time competition.

It is believed the government plans ships larger and faster and better built than those called for by these contracts and that in the end the yards will profit by more valuable contracts than those suspended or cancelled.

Contracts have been suspended or cancelled in yards in Oregon and Washington, and it is believed the same holds true there.

TAKE VOTE ON BUTTE STRIKE

PULTE, Mont., Feb. 13.—The Engineers' union is taking a referendum vote to determine what action to take in the strike of miners in the Butte district. If the engineers determine to join in the walkout, it may be prolonged for two weeks more.

The miners are striking to protest the recent cut in wages of \$1 a day, and are demanding the abolition of the "rating card" system.

There were no street cars operated today, and there probably will be no service for the rest of the week. The car men attempted to run the cars Monday, but were threatened by the striking miners.

TAFT INDORSES WORLD LEAGUE

MINNEAPOLIS, Feb. 13.—Declaring that the ocean is a bond uniting this nation and the old world, William Howard Taft yesterday heartily indorsed President Wilson's plan for a league of nations, at the League of Nations congress here.

Discussing the constitutionality of the plan, Mr. Taft said:

"If we were to go into an agreement to send 25,000 men and put under Marshal Foch as part of a great international army, and say to Marshal Foch: 'You can use our force in obedience to the orders of the executive council of the league to make war against any member of the league which is recalcitrant'—that would be unconstitutional. But we are reaching something else, namely: That we shall enter into an obligation that when force is needed to suppress war, we will furnish it."

Henry Van Dyke, former minister to the Netherlands, was another speaker at the congress. He said: "The American interest is to end the war against us and against all nations. It is not yet ended, it will only be interrupted unless we can get a league of nations, pledged to maintain peace."

COMBAT FORCE, EBERT STATES

WEIMAR, Feb. 13.—In a speech accepting office, Friedrich Ebert, the first president of Germany, said in part:

"I will administer my office, not as the leader of a single party, but as belonging to the socialist party and cannot forget my origin and training. The privileges of birth already have been eliminated from politics and are being eliminated from social life.

"We shall combat domination by force to the utmost, from whatever direction it may come. We wish to found our state only on the basis of right and our freedom to shape our destinies at home and abroad. However harsh may be the lot threatening the German people, we do not despair of Germany's vital forces."

PREMIER GEORGE GIVES PROGRAM

LONDON, Feb. 13.—In reply to demands that Herbert Hoover, business, unionist, asking whether he was preparing to exact the utmost reparation from Germany, Premier Lloyd George Wednesday discussed the general peace situation as follows:

That the government's election pledge was complete reparation by Germany, and must be fulfilled.

That Germany had forfeited all rights to her colonies.

That the British government, having first appointed a commission, was in advance of the French army in the matter of indemnities.

That allied intervention in Russia must be dropped.

That the league of nations should be supported.

Hon. Guinness said President Wilson was "beyond to with more superstitious respect than any prophet at since the days of Mahomet." He contended that "we have had far too much of the particular panacea which America is supporting at the conference."

ARREST I. W. W.
CHICAGO, Feb. 13.—Twenty-nine I. W. W. were arrested today, when the police raided the organization headquarters.

ARIZONA MINES CLOSED DOWN; HUNDREDS IDLE

JEROME, Ariz., Feb. 13.—Two of the largest mines in the Jerome district closed today in compliance with Tuesday's announcement that they would close if the strike of miners was not ended by Thursday morning.

Troops were placed on guard at the approaches to all of the mines. Closing of the smelters is expected to follow soon on account of lack of ore.

Hundreds of men were thrown out of work by the tie-up, which, mine officials predicted, is likely to last from six to eight months.

Distress from unemployment already is evident here. Many of the miners are already leaving, but express little hope of being able to secure work elsewhere on account of conditions in other copper mining fields.

It is understood the mine owners feel the present copper prices do not warrant continued operations if they are to be faced with labor difficulties. The strike started when some elements of the men refused to accept a 75-cent daily cut in wages.

Agitators Held in East Not Connected With Strike Here

WASHINGTON, Feb. 13.—None of the aliens awaiting deportation at Ellis island had any connection with the general strike in Seattle, or any labor troubles in the West, Anthony Caminetti, commissioner of immigration, stated today.

NEW YORK, Feb. 13.—Forty-nine alien agitators, waiting deportation at Ellis island, secured writs of habeas corpus to halt return to their home countries. The writs were returnable today.

Cross-Continent Planes Smashed

SAN DIEGO, Feb. 13.—Two more airplanes of the transcontinental air squadron, now on its way from the East coast to San Diego, were smashed in a storm near El Paso, Texas, yesterday, according to a telegram today, from Maj. Albert Smith, commanding the fleet, to Lieut. Col. Harvey Burwell, commander of Rockwell field.

Lieut. Col. Thaw to San Diego Camp

SAN DIEGO, Feb. 13.—Lieut. Col. William Thaw, famous American ace, is due here on Saturday, when he will assume the duties of executive officers at Rockwell field, North Island, the big army flying school.

Capt. Clyde Balsley, who, with Thaw, was a member of the La Fayette Escadrille of the French army before the United States entered the war, reported for duty here yesterday.

Split Rail Causes Cable Car Tie-Up

A split rail on a James st. cable track caused a 15-minute tie-up of Third ave. street car traffic Thursday morning, shortly after 9.

BRITISH STEAMER SAFE

QUEENSTOWN, Feb. 13.—The British steamship Kwaraa, reported in distress off the Scilly islands, has arrived safely off the Irish coast, it was announced today.

THE BON MARCHÉ
A Message to Men
An Extra Pair of Trousers
Will Make Your Clothes Last Longer

All of you men know coats and vests don't wear out first—it's always the trousers. An extra pair of trousers helps to double the life of a suit. Trousers don't have to match your coat and vest exactly—something to "go with" them is just as well. We have Trousers that will "go with" most any coat and vest—and we have them in any size from 32 to 46-inch belt measure.

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Women's Flannelette Gowns—Special \$1.95
THEY MEAN MUCH WARMTH ON COLD NIGHTS

- Gowns in pink and white or blue and white stripes.
- A quality of flannelette that gives much service.
- The double yoke front and back is scalloped around the neck.
- The front is embroidered in pretty simple design with silk thread.

THIRD FLOOR—THE BON MARCHÉ

Men's Night Shirts Strong Values at \$1.95
—Night Shirts made of good wearing muslin, soiesettes or mercerized fabrics.
—Some are plain white, others with blue, pink or black braid trimming.
—The soiesettes are in plain colors—all with frog trimmings.

Other Night Shirts of Muslin and Mercerized Fabrics, \$1.45
Men's Outing Flannel Night Shirts \$1.50
Men's warm Outing Flannel Night Shirts—just six dozen in the lot—but all worth a great deal more than the price asked.
MEN'S SHOP—LOWER MAIN FLOOR

Boys' Sweater Coats \$3.00
Warm Values
In Gray, Maroon and Navy
—Sweaters, good three-dollar values—just the garments for school.
—Made with good-sized roll collars and two pockets.
—Sweaters you'll want for your boy when you see them.
Boys' Knickers at \$1.25
—Knickers, sturdy garments at a low price.
—25 dozen in all, in sizes 8 to 16 years.
—Light and dark-gray mixtures in cassimers and tweed materials—many full lined.
UPPER MAIN FLOOR

Odds and Ends of Domestic 15c Yd.
25-inch plain-colored Calico, 27-inch Gingham in neat plaids, and 36-inch Bleached Muslin (slightly damaged)—odds and ends, but many good lengths, and only 15c a yard.
LOWER MAIN FLOOR

Filet Net Curtaining 35c and 40c Yd.
Making up new curtains is a sensible thing to be doing now before the busy days of house cleaning.
Filet Net Curtainings in allover designs make neat curtains for many of your rooms.
THIRD FLOOR—THE BON MARCHÉ

24-Inch Embroidery Flouncings 50c
Are Reduced to, a Yard 50c
Embroidery Flouncings, excellent value at 50c a yard; 24 inches wide, in attractive designs, both open and blind work, with scalloped edges firmly worked. Flouncings dainty and pretty for children's dresses—nice for underwear.

18-In. Embroidery 25c
Embroidery, good quality indeed, for 25c a yard. Open and closed designs with scalloped edges. Nice for camisoles.
UPPER MAIN FLOOR

Embroidery Edges 25c
Edges of Swiss, lawn and organdy, in blind and open designs; with plain and scalloped edges; 5 to 6 inches wide, reduced to 25c a yard.
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THE BON MARCHÉ BARGAIN BASEMENT

Well, Here She Is! Back From the Bargain Basement With One of the NEW SILK DRESSES —at \$10.95—

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—We have made a specialty of the \$10.95 line, and every new lot that comes in seems to be better than the last.

—More than twenty-five styles to choose from—and all entirely new—none of them have ever been shown before. Made of all-Taffeta, Taffeta and Georgette combinations, Crepe de Chine, all-Georgette and Messaline. —High waiste styles—many with tunics—others with shirrings and cord tucks—button trimming—sashes—accordion pleated frills at the neck or with beaded and embroidered designs.

Rose-color, Navy, Black, Green, Alice-blue, Purple, Several Shades of Gray, Taupe, Copen and Belgian Blue, Tan, Henna and Burgundy