

BRYAN FOR PRESIDENT BOOM GROWING IN WASHINGTON

Jenkins Charged With Supplying Arms To Mex Rebels

GENERAL WOOD PERMITS NAME ON THE BALLOT

Candidate Nominated for President by Republicans of South Dakota Files Acceptance With Secretary State.

Pierre, S. D., Dec. 31.—General Leonard Wood nominated for president by the South Dakota Republican state convention filed his acceptance with the secretary of state today.

ANTI CIGARET LEADER AFTER PRESIDENCY

"Clean Morals, Clean Food and Fearless Law Enforcement" Is Platform of Woman Candidate for Office.

Chicago, Dec. 31.—"Clean morals, clean food and fearless law enforcement."

That is the platform on which Lucy Page Gaston will fight for the Republican nomination for president.

NAVAL ATTACHE AT MADRID IS ORDERED HOME

Friction Between Navy Officer and American Ambassador Cause of Recall—Claims Services Not Appreciated.

Washington, Dec. 31.—Rear Admiral Benton C. Decker was recalled from the post of naval attache at Madrid, where he was stationed during the war because of friction with Ambassador Willard over the possibility of Spain joining the German cause.

30 COMES FOR THE EDITOR DALLAS NEWS

Long Beach, Cal., Dec. 31.—After having been in ill health for five years Lester H. Clark, for 30 years editor of the Dallas News, died here late yesterday.

PEACE TREATY WITH GERMANY BECOMES EFFECTIVE JAN. 10; HUNS AGREE TO SIGN PROTOCOL

SENATORS ASK CANDIDATES TO DECLARE STAND

All Republican Seekers for Presidential Nomination to Make Known Their Position on League of Nations.

BY L. C. MARTIN. (United Press Staff Correspondent.) Washington, Dec. 31.—Senators who are determined to make the league of nations an issue in the next campaign are ready to demand that candidates now in the race for the Republican presidential nomination declare themselves immediately on the league, it was learned today.

REMAIN SILENT

Neither Wood nor Lowden has made any definite statement. Senator Johnson, California, and Senator Poindexter, Washington, are irrecconcilable foes of the league and have made their positions clear.

Senator Sutherland, West Virginia, is in favor of the Democratic members of the foreign relations committee called by Senator Hitchcock the ranking Democratic member. Senator Shields, Tennessee, who voted for Lodge reservations was the only Democratic member not invited to this meeting.

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THREE OF CREW RESCUED FROM GROUNDING SHIP

Twenty-two Bodies From the Wreck of Dutch Steamer Anton Van Driel Washing Along Shore of Bay.

St. John's, N. F., Dec. 31.—Twenty-two bodies of the victims of the wreck of the Dutch steamer Anton Van Driel today were washing along the shore of St. Mary's bay, first swept on the crests of giant combbers, then carried out to sea, but always out of reach of boats. Only four bodies have been recovered.

Pact Goes Into Effect When Formal Ratifications Exchanged—Supreme Council Sends Delegation to Austria.

Paris, Dec. 31.—The protocol probably will be signed in time to declare the treaty effective with Germany between Jan. 9 and 10, it was stated semi-officially today. This most optimistic hope, it was said, was based on information secured from Kurt von Lersner, head of the German delegation here, intimating Germany will accept the allied demand for signature of the protocol without specific agreement to reduce the allied demand for 400,000 tons of German marine materials in compensation for the Scapa Flow sinking.

The German delegate demanded, however, that the allies put into writing the promise made him by Paul Dutasta, secretary of the peace conference, that the allies will reduce their marine demands if Germany is able to establish that she has less tonnage than now estimated by the allies.

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TUMULTY MEETS HITCHCOCK ON COMPROMISE

President's Secretary May Outline Wilson's Attitude Toward Efforts for Settlement of Present Difficulties.

Washington, Dec. 31.—J. P. Tumulty, secretary to President Wilson, today called on Senator Hitchcock, head of the senate administration forces in the treaty struggle.

MORE RED RECRUITS ARE ROUNDED UP FOR VOYAGE ON SECOND SOVIET ARK



Anarchists captured in New England being placed aboard a train at Hartford, Conn.

O-O-O-O-H LOOKEE! New York, Dec. 31.—Sleeveless dresses. Extremely short skirts. No stockings. Sandals. These will constitute the 1920 fashions for women—take it from Jules Kurzman, whose firm designed the trousseau of Mrs. Woodrow Wilson. He arrived from Paris today on the Nieuw Amsterdam.

SISTER TAKES STAND IN NEW MURDER TRIAL

Miss Edna Clancy Unfolds Strange Story of Brother's Boyhood—Urged Frieda Lesser to Reject Marriage.

Los Angeles, Dec. 31.—Miss Edna Clancy, pretty 24-year-old half-sister of Harry S. New, today began her effort to shield her brother from blame for the death of his sweetheart and her chum, Frieda Lesser. She was called as the first witness in New's murder trial today and began to unfold a strange story of her brother's boyhood. Before she leaves the stand she is expected to tell the jury that she persuaded Miss Lesser to refuse to become New's bride and that this refusal led to Miss Lesser's death.

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WEATHER

Forecast for Boise and Vicinity—FAIR TONIGHT AND THURSDAY; COLDER TONIGHT. For Idaho—Tonight and Thursday, fair; colder tonight. SHIPPERS' FORECAST. Protect shipments during the next 36 hours against the following minimum temperatures: Going west to Baker, 10 degrees; east to Pocatello, eight degrees. Minimum temperature in Boise tomorrow, about 10 degrees. Highest temperature yesterday, 33. Lowest temperature this morning, 18. Mean temperature yesterday, 28. The sun rises tomorrow at 7:20 a. m. and sets at 4:18 p. m.

AMERICAN CONSULAR AGENT IS ACCUSED SUPPLYING ARMS TO MEXICAN REBELS BY GOVERNOR

William O. Jenkins Greatly Discouraged Over Turn of Affairs and Declares Convinced Authorities Manipulating Case to Suit Own Purposes—Will Ask Proceedings in State Court Be Cancelled and Removed to Federal Court for Trial.

By RALPH H. TURNER, United Press Staff Correspondent. Mexico City, Dec. 31.—William O. Jenkins, American consular agent at Puebla, whose arrest on charges of collusion with his bandit abductors led to strained relations with the United States is now accused of supplying Mexican rebels with arms and ammunition, it was learned from official sources today.

DENEKIN ARMY SPLIT IN TWO BY RED FORCES

One Section Reported Retreating Toward Odessa and the Other Falling Back to Mouth of Don.

London, Dec. 31.—General Denekin's South Russian anti-Bolshevik forces have been split in two sections by the attacking red armies, according to a dispatch from Zurich today.

Denekin's headquarters last reported at Tazanov, will be shifted to a warship in the sea of Azov, the dispatch added. Advances to the war office confirmed press dispatches relating the widespread success of the present Bolshevik offensive.

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PRESIDENT TO GIVE HIS VIEWS ON THIRD TERM

Intentions Regarding Running for Office Again to Be Made Public in Letter to Democratic Chairman.

By HUGH BAILLIE. (United Press Staff Correspondent.) Washington, Dec. 31.—President Wilson next week is expected to make known his intentions with regard to running for a third term.

The president is preparing a message to Homer S. Cummings, chairman of the Democratic National committee, which Cummings will read at the Jackson day banquet here on the evening of Jan. 8. In this message, Wilson will disclose his intention, party officials believe.

Although party officials hold the "private opinion" that Wilson will not be a third term candidate, none of them is disposed to make a prediction and the possibility that he may enter the contest is strong enough to hold back large numbers of Democratic presidential aspirants from openly declaring their ambitions until after the president has spoken.

The honor of uttering the Democratic war cry for the 1920 campaign appears to have devolved upon W. F. Bryan. His speech at the banquet is being awaited with eagerness by his friends and with something akin to pronounced nervousness by his political enemies.

RAILROAD MEN FAIL TO MEET RAIL DIRECTOR

Further Delay on "Show Down" Between Union Heads and Administration Officials Almost Certain.

Washington, Dec. 31.—Further delay on the "show down" between representatives of the railroad employer unions and the railroad administration seems likely today. Plans for a conference at noon between Rail Director Hines and labor spokesmen were abandoned.

FOUR KILLED WHEN TRAIN STRIKES

Homewood, Ill., Dec. 31.—Four men were killed and one injured today when an Illinois Central passenger train struck an automobile dense fog obscured the view of the train until the auto was on the tracks.

FORD COMPANY TO DISTRIBUTE \$87,000,000

Employees of Not Less Than Three Months' Service Will Receive Bonus—May Also Purchase Stock.

New York, Dec. 31.—Proposed distribution of \$87,000,000 in bonuses to its employees by the Ford Motor company for services during 1919 was announced officially today.

WHAT'S ONE DAY MORE

Washington, Dec. 31.—Jan. 1, 1920, not Jan. 16, will be the birthday of the constitutional prohibition, the House of Internal Revenue has decided.