

# Senators Plan Bi-Partisan Meeting On Treaty; Massachusetts Solon Hotly Flails Army Officers

## CHARGES ARMY MEDALS GIVEN OUT UNFAIRLY

Representative Gallivan Bitterly Attacks Chief of Staff and Says D. S. M. Known as "Desk Service Medal."

Washington, Jan. 13.—Charges that many army medals for distinguished service were awarded unfairly were made in the house today by Representative Gallivan, Massachusetts, in urging a complete investigation by the house military committee.

## DENEKIN QUILTS ODESSA ASSERT REPORTS TODAY

Poland Rejects Bolshevik Peace Offer According to Dispatch From Cracow—Italian Soviets Warned.

London, Jan. 13.—Odessa has been evacuated by General Denikin's troops, according to advices to newspapers here today.

## MOUNTAIN HOME PLACED UNDER QUARANTINE

No One Allowed to Leave or Enter Village—City Council Acts Promptly on Appearance First Cases.

The Mountain Home city council, cooperating with the state bureau of public health service, Monday afternoon quarantined that town in an effort to check the influenza epidemic which has broken out there.

## OVER 500 PERSONS STILL MISSING FROM WRECK OF STEAMER

Paris, Jan. 13.—Five hundred and eighty-nine persons were still missing today from the wreck of the steamer Afrique, which sank in the bay of Biscay early yesterday.

## MYSTERIOUS MALADY IN OKLAHOMA TOWN HITS OTHER CITIES

Several Cases of Strange Disease Reported in Shawnee and Muskogee—Physicians Disagree Over Diagnosis.

Oklahoma City, Okla., Jan. 13.—The mysterious malady which attacked 500 persons at Skiatook, Okla., has spread to two other cities, according to reports today.

## SENATE BEGINS MEXICAN PROBE IN SAN ANTONIO

Fall Sub-committee Opens Hearings Today—Between 50 and 75 San Antonio Witnesses Notified to Appear.

San Antonio, Tex., Jan. 13.—Hearings of the Fall senate subcommittee investigating the Mexican situation will open here following the arrival from El Paso of Senator E. A. Fall today.

## RAILROAD MEN DEMAND ACTION ON WAGE RAISE

Rank and File of Unions Bringing Pressure to Bear on National Officers for Some Definite Move.

By RALPH F. COUCH (United Press Staff Correspondent) Washington, Jan. 13.—The rank and file of the railroad unions now are bringing pressure to bear upon national officers here to demand immediate action by the government on demands for wage increases.

## OPERATORS TO ACCEPT AWARD OF COMMISSION

Coal Barons Today Agree to Unqualified Acceptance of Any Decision Made by President Wilson's Tribunal.

Washington, Jan. 13.—Coal operators today agreed to unqualified acceptance of any award made by President Wilson's coal commission, appointed to bring about a permanent settlement of the controversy between the miners and operators.

When the commissioner opened his inquiry yesterday the operators presented a set of reservations in form of questions which they demanded be answered before they would agree to accept the commissions award.

## "GRUB HEAP HIGH" INDIANS TO PROTEST

Redding, Cal., Jan. 13.—"Grub heap high" is the burden of the complaint of 700 Indians in northern California counties who today were driven by the H. C. L. to seek aid on behalf of the Pitt River tribe.

## GREAT AND BEAUTIFUL CITY IS DOOMED TO BECOME SMALL AND OBSCURE PLACE



VIENNA, which before the war was one of the most famous and beautiful capitals of the world, with a population of more than 2,000,000, seems doomed soon to become a small and obscure place.

## AVIATOR ARRESTED AT COEUR D'ALENE WITH OUT-OUT OPEN

Coeur d'Alene, Ida., Jan. 13.—Aviator Foster Russell of Spokane was arrested here late yesterday on charges of operating his ship over the city with the muffler open and with scattering handbills from the air within the city limits.

## DEMOCRATS AND G. O. P. LEADERS OF SENATE TO HOLD MEETING

Joint Gathering of Two Factions for General Discussion of Treaty Situation Probably Will Be Called Soon.

## BOURBONS NAME FLOOR LEADER ON THURSDAY

Conference of Senators Delayed Until After Democratic Caucus—"Irreconcilables" Smell Something Wrong.

Washington, Jan. 13.—The next step in senate negotiation for a treaty compromise is expected soon after the Democratic caucus Thursday when a floor leader is to be selected.

## AMERICA GETS 2 PER CENT OF GERMAN SHIPS

American Ambassador Told by Supreme Council That Stand Is Unchanged—United States Waives All Claim.

Paris, Jan. 13.—The supreme council of the peace conference today notified Hugh Wallace, American ambassador, that its decision to award the United States only 2 per cent of the German shipping to be distributed among the allied and associated powers was unchanged.

### WEATHER

Forecast for Boise and Vicinity — FAIR AND CONTINUED COLD TONIGHT AND WEDNESDAY.

Boise tomorrow	10 degrees
Lowest temperature yesterday	12 degrees
Mean temperature yesterday	12 degrees
The sun rises tomorrow	7:17 a. m.
and sets at	4:31 p. m.

## FOUR GOVERNORS ON CAMPAIGN COMMITTEE FOR GENERAL WOOD

Chicago, Jan. 13.—A rise in Wood stock registered on the political ticket with the announcement here today that four midwestern governors had accepted places on the Wood national campaign committee.

## DEFENSE SUDDENLY ENDS ARGUMENTS IN NEW MURDER TRIAL

Chief of Counsel for Accused After Brief Address Leaves Case to Jury—Prosecution Closes Tonight.

Los Angeles, Jan. 13.—Arguments in behalf of Harry S. New trial for murder, were brought to a sudden halt today when Leomote Davis, chief of defense counsel, after a brief address, announced he would leave the case in the hands of the jury without further argument from his side.

## FREUDENBERG IS TODAY HELD ON MURDER CHARGE

Physician Accused of Murdering Mother-in-Law to Obtain Half Million Estate—Preliminary Hearing Jan. 22.

Markesan, Wis., Jan. 13.—Dr. J. A. Freudenberg, accused of murdering his mother-in-law, was ordered released on \$50,000 bail by Circuit Judge Fowler today.

Vienna grew naturally and gradually to great size and importance, but throughout its rise to splendid wealth and immense bulk its functions and position as a capital were intertwined with all of its life and progress.

## IOWA FARMERS AND LABOR MEN TO FIGHT BILL

Committee of Ten Appointed to Go to Washington and Seek Support for War Against Cummins Measure.

Des Moines, Iowa, Jan. 13.—Iowa farmers' organizations, labor unions and railroad brotherhoods today had united to defeat the Cummins railroad bill.

## RATIFY TREATY AT ONCE BRYAN TELLS OMAHANS

Commoner Says Democratic Principles of League Nations Can Be Restored by Acts of Future Congresses.

Omaha, Neb., Jan. 13.—The Democratic principles of the league of nations can be restored by future congresses, William J. Bryan told an audience of 5000 here last night when he urged compromise ratification of the peace treaty within the week.

Creation of city and state trade commissions for prosecution of profiteers. Extension of free speech and free press to all upholders of the government.

## START WORK ON NEW Y. M. C. A. IMMEDIATELY

Building Committee Decides to Call for Bids at Once—Will Erect Handsome Edifice.

Bids on the superstructure of the Y. M. C. A. are to be called for at once. At a meeting of the building committee held Monday night it was decided to take immediate action in calling for bids for the construction of the new building.