

## TRANSPORT TO BRING BANQUET MATERIALS

Made-in-Philippines Dinner Will Be Brought by Government Vessel.

WILL COST \$75,000

Executive Committee Recommends Appropriation of That Sum.

An army transport will bring the material from the Philippine Islands for the Made-in-the-Philippines banquet to be held in Columbia Journalism Week. The Philippine commissioner in charge will leave Manila in February. He will be accompanied by Filipino representatives selected to represent the Philippine Islands. The Philippine legislature is enthusiastically endorsing the plans of the executive committee. It will approve the appropriation of \$75,000 proposed by the committee to be expended for the gathering of materials and their transportation to the United States, the Manila papers say.

### Special Commissioner Appointed.

Elaborate preparations are being made in the Philippines to make the event a success. The government is making the arrangements. Vice-Governor Charles E. Yeater, former member of the Board of Curators of the University of Missouri, is a member of the executive committee in charge of the affair and is taking great interest in the Philippine participation. A special commissioner has been appointed to gather the articles and various exhibits that will be sent here.

Jose Sanvictores, who has been appointed commissioner, has already made most of the preparations. Mr. Sanvictores is the assistant director of the Bureau of Agriculture of the Philippine government and is a graduate of one of the agricultural schools of America. Mr. Sanvictores has outlined his plans and has submitted them to the executive committee.

### Manila Paper Endorses Plans.

The Manila Daily Bulletin, an American daily published in Manila, in speaking of the plan says:

"Jose Sanvictores, assistant director of agriculture and commissioned to prepare and have charge of the exhibit in connection with the Made-in-the-Philippines Banquet of the Missouri Press Association and University of Missouri School of Journalism next April, has outlined his plans and submitted them to the chairman of the executive committee, Judge Rafael Corpus, under-secretary of agriculture and resources.

"First of all the banquet hall will be decorated with typical Philippine raw products. A careful selection of materials will be made for this purpose.

"Souvenirs will be presented to all at this banquet. They will have considerable intrinsic value and will reflect credit upon the islands and the interest taken in responding in cordial manner to the invitation of the press association to participate in the banquet. Speakers and guests of honor will be present with special souvenirs.

"Folders will be distributed containing ready-reference information about the islands, their resources, population, per capita wealth, percentage of literacy and other matter, such facts as the average editor of America would like to have at hand touching upon Philippine matters. Philippine food products will be served at the banquet. Statistical bulletins of the bureau of commerce and industry will be distributed along with the folders specially prepared by the banquet commission.

"Slides to the number of 100 or more will be prepared and shown after the banquet in illustration of one of the addresses on the Philippine Islands."

### Quezon Heads Delegation.

Manuel L. Quezon, former Philippine resident commissioner to Washington, now president of the Philippine Senate, who will head the next independence mission to the United States from the Philippine Islands, has been selected chief representative of the Philippines to the banquet. Mr. Quezon has also been given plenary powers by his government to choose the other Filipino speakers at the banquet.

With Mr. Quezon will come a delegation of Filipino women and the members of the Philippine independence mission. Mrs. Jaime de Veyra, wife of one of the Philippine resident commissioners at Washington; Miss Nieves Gonzales, daughter of ex-Senator Natividad Gonzales of Pangasinan, P. I.; and Miss De Leon, daughter of Senator Ceferino de Leon of Bulacan, P. I., will be included in the Filipino delegation to the banquet. These women are prominent in Philippine affairs and have received part of their training in English. Beside them, it is reported, the wife of Mr. Quezon and other women will also be selected.

The chief interest of the Philippines

## THE WEATHER

For Columbia and vicinity: Cloudy and much colder tonight and Thursday, probably snow flurries. Temperature to 33 or lower tonight.

For Missouri: Unsettled weather tonight and Thursday, probably snow or rain south and east portions. Colder tonight and east and south portions Thursday.

Shippers' Forecast: Within a radius of 200 miles of Columbia the lowest temperature during the next 24 hours will be about 16 west and north; 24 east, and 20 south.

in the Made-in-the-Philippines banquet centers in the renewed efforts of the Philippine government in its campaign for independence and for closer trade and commercial relations with the people of the United States.

## 89 FIRES LAST YEAR

Total Loss \$34,330.63—Burning Soot Chief Cause of Fires.

The Columbia fire department made eighty-nine runs in 1919 according to records compiled today by T. M. Walden, fire chief. Eight of these were false alarms. The total loss amounted to \$34,330.63 or an average of nearly \$400 per fire.

The records show that there were fewer fires in 1919 than in 1918, although the loss was greater. There were ninety-six runs in 1918 only one of which was a false alarm. The losses amounted to only \$20,000.

Burning soot was the chief cause of last year's fires. There were thirty-one fires from this cause resulting in a total loss of \$11,665. Twelve fires, resulting in a loss of \$5,950, were attributed to carelessness. Twelve fires caused by overheated furnaces and defective flues resulted in a loss of \$3,100. Spontaneous combustion was the cause of three fires resulting in a loss of \$4,000. Eleven blazes, the causes of which were unknown, resulted in a \$9,580.63 loss.

Two blazes were caused by overheated coal-oil stoves. The damage was \$35. In addition, there were eight fires caused by burned out flues, one grass fire, and one blaze caused by an overheated electric iron. Chemicals were used to extinguish thirty-four of the blazes; while water was only necessary in nineteen cases. The remainder of the fires were of small consequence.

The fire department nearly equaled a record in 1919 in regard to fireless days. Thirty-five days, between September 13 and October 18, were vacation days for the department as no fires were registered. The record is thirty-seven days. There have been four fires since the first of this year.

## CIVIL WAR VETERAN DIES

Henry H. Barnes to Be Buried Tomorrow at Millersburg.

Henry Harrison Barnes, an old soldier and pioneer resident of Boone County, died of paralysis last night at his home, 12 miles east of Columbia. The funeral will be held tomorrow at the Millersburg Baptist Church, the services being conducted by the Rev. S. S. Keith. Mr. Barnes was born January 8, 1840, and has lived in this county all his life. He leaves a wife, a son, Efton Barnes, and two daughters, Mrs. David Frost and Mrs. L. H. Gibbs.

Mr. Barnes served practically the full period of the Civil War in the Union forces. He was in the Vicksburg campaign under Grant. His grief over the boys going to France is thought to have been one cause of his death.

## HIS MOTORCYCLE OVERTURNED

Arch Turner, Delivery Man, Slightly Injured in Accident.

Arch Turner, who drives a delivery motorcycle for Harrell & Son, was slightly injured yesterday morning when his machine skidded on the ice and hit a wagon at the corner of Conley and Gentry streets. Turner's machine turned over when it hit the wagon. Turner suffered no dangerous injury but was bruised by the accident. He will be able to return to work in about a week.

## TEACHERS' UNION ELECTS

W. C. Curtis Permanent President of the Organization.

The University of Missouri branch of the American Federation of Teachers, affiliated with the American Federation of Labor, has elected the following permanent officers: President, W. C. Curtis; first vice-president, W. J. Shepard; second vice-president, E. R. Hedrick; corresponding secretary, H. G. Brown; financial secretary, H. W. Hibbard.

## Four Students Admitted to Hospital.

The following University students were admitted to Parker Memorial Hospital yesterday: Joseph E. Witt, Bruce Fickland, George W. Burns, G. Woods Peters. Their condition is not serious. George P. Bailey was discharged yesterday.

## Women Voters Meet Friday.

The Columbia League of Women Voters will hold its regular meeting in the Commercial Club rooms at 3 o'clock next Friday afternoon.

## TREATY COMPROMISE IS NOT ACCEPTABLE

Democratic Proposals Do Not Agree With Lodge's Views On Article Ten.

WILL BE MODIFIED

Agreement May Be In Sight If Democrats Accept Revisions.

By United Press.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 7.—Senator Underwood in the Senate today served notice on those who are working for a treaty compromise, that if they do not speedily reach an agreement he will call up his resolution for a conciliation committee.

Democratic proposals for a treaty compromise are unacceptable in their present form to Lodge and his followers because they fail to agree with Lodge's views on Article Ten, senators of the Lodge group said today. The Democratic reservations, drawn by Senators McKellar, Kendrick and Swanson, and handed to Senator Lodge late yesterday, will be revised by the mild reservationist Republicans and returned to the Democrats.

If the Democrats will accept the modifications, there is a possibility that an agreement may be in sight, senators said. Those best informed pointed out that there are a number of obstacles which must be overcome before any suggested compromise can receive the number of votes necessary for ratification of the treaty.

Much depends on what President Wilson says in his Jackson Day message to Democrats, it was pointed out. Another difficulty, they declared, is that William J. Bryan is understood to have sided in the preparation of and is sponsoring the reservations. His share of the authorship will not help the plan in the Senate or in the White House, it was pointed out.

## KILLS AN AMERICAN

Another Murder In Mexico Reported to State Department Today.

By United Press.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 7.—Gabriel Porter, an American citizen in the employ of the Penn Mex Company, was shot and killed by a Mexican federal army officer at Tuntan December 21, the State Department was advised today by the American consul at Tampico.

While the State Department was awaiting complete reports upon the murder near Port Lobos of two other Americans, it was believed today that should it develop that Carranza soldiers are responsible for the killing, relations between the United States and Mexico would again approach the breaking point.

## 2,000 DEAD IN QUAKE

Towns Completely Destroyed in Mexican Earth Tremor of Saturday.

By United Press.

MEXICO CITY, Jan. 7.—Estimates of the total dead in Saturday night's earthquakes ran close to 2,000 today. The latest advices tend to substantiate the report that 100 are dead at Coahuila.

The town of Chilcotla, Vera Cruz, was reported to have been wiped out. The hillside on which it was located is said to have collapsed, damming the Pescado River and flooding the wrecked town.

The village of Saltillo, near the city of Vera Cruz, was also reported partly destroyed. It was situated on the slope of an old volcano. Searchers report the recovery of eighty-five bodies.

## W. S. S., 1920 ISSUE, SELL WELL

L. J. Hall, Postmaster, Announces Interest Rates and Sales Policy.

War Saving Stamps, 1920 issue, are providing attractive investments to Columbia wage earners. They are printed in red this year and sell at \$4.12 this month, maturing January 1, 1925, at a value of \$5. L. J. Hall, postmaster, said he sold \$200 worth yesterday.

He stated that the 1920 issue of \$100 United States Treasury certificates is now for sale. They sell for \$82.40 this month and mature in 1925 at \$100. Mr. Hall explained that they are registered with the United States Treasury and, after sixty days, are redeemable at cost and accrued interest, upon ten days notice.

## 19 CARS OF COAL RECEIVED

Fuel Consigned to University and Local Dealers.

Nineteen carloads of coal were received over the M. K. & T. road today. They were consigned to the University and to local dealers. More is expected in a few days.

## MINERS RATIFY PLAN THAT ENDED STRIKE

Radical Element Attempted to Block Approval of Settlement.

VOTE WAS 221 TO 163

Plan Provides For Commission of Three to Fix Basis for Wages.

By United Press.

COLUMBUS, O., Jan. 7.—The United Mine Workers of America today ratified the plan under which the recent coal strike was ended by a vote of 221 to 163. The vote came at the end of a stormy session at which the radical element sought to block approval of the settlement. Under the plan of settlement President Wilson's commission of three men will fix a basis for wages of bituminous coal miners.

## TO TRY CO-OPERATIVE METHODS

Unions Open Stores and Make Goods to Fight High Living Costs.

By United Press.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 7.—Co-operative manufacture and buying are now being tried out by trade unions as a new policy of organized labor to combat the high cost of living. The movement has the endorsement of the American Federation of Labor, secretary Frank Morrison announced today.

"John Walker has been named special representative of the federation, with headquarters at Springfield, Ill., to educate the unions in methods of co-operative buying," Morrison said. "Walker, although an official of the United Mine Workers, has been transferred to the federation's payroll for this purpose."

Many local labor unions are now establishing co-operative organizations for buying necessary food and clothing. The lead is being taken by the miners and railroad firemen, who discussed the proposition at their last convention.

The output of the factories will be sold to union members at reductions ranging from 25 to 60 per cent under established prices, it is planned.

American farmers' associations will take concerted action against high prices by the organization of an all-American farm-labor co-operative buying commission, the president of the Nebraska farmers' union announced today. Offices of the organization have been opened in Washington.

## NOW SHE IS AMERICAN

Taught Her Pupils Citizenship For 21 Years; Naturalized.

Twenty-one years an instructor in the public schools of the United States, in which time she has instilled the principles of citizenship into many youthful Americans, Miss Tilda McHarg, herself not a citizen, faced Judge David H. Harris in the Boone County Circuit Court yesterday and swore allegiance to the United States.

She came to this country with her parents when she was 4 years old and was educated in the public schools here. Her father never became a citizen.

"I'm glad of it," she said when Judge Harris told her at the conclusion of the proceedings that she was now a citizen. She left the courtroom in smiles.

## THOUSANDS USE NEW LIBRARY

Librarian Willis Makes Report to Tuesday Club.

More than 3,500 persons have visited the Columbia Library since October, according to Miss Lella B. Willis, librarian. Since the library was presented to the Community Council, Miss Willis has kept monthly accounts for the library. She presented the December report at the meeting of the Tuesday Club yesterday in the Y. M. C. A. Building.

The Columbia Public Library circulated 1,237 books in December. Books to the number of 255 were contributed to its shelves. The number of persons visiting the library during the month was 653.

Of the books lent, 338 were children's books.

## TO ENFORCE SIDEWALK CLEANING

Mayor Says Ice Must Be Removed When Thaw Starts.

Clean your sidewalks as soon as the ice begins to thaw. Mayor James Gordon said he knew people could not using salt. Salt is injurious to granite sidewalks today without taid.

When thawing begins the ordinance providing for clean walks will be enforced. Snow must be cleaned off immediately.

## C. H. S. Glee Club Will Give Concert.

The Columbia High School Glee Club will sing before the Parent-Teachers' Association Monday afternoon at the school. George Loudenback, a pupil in the school, will play a piano solo. Mrs. C. W. Greene and Miss Ella V. Dobbs will speak.

## New Fruit Store for Columbia.

A new wholesale and retail fruit store will be opened in the Athens Hotel. Frank Balsomo of St. Louis will be the proprietor.

## ALLIES CAUSE POLISH OFFENSIVE

Reds Claim Further Advances On Southern Front.

By United Press.

LONDON, Jan. 7.—The recently launched Polish offensive against the Bolshevik forces in Northwestern Russia, was inspired by the Allies to force the withdrawal of men from the southern front where the red army is putting the finishing touches in General Denekine's forces, a Moscow wireless dispatch said today. The reds claimed further advances on the southern front.

The soviet forces are approaching Odessa and the anti-Bolshevik inhabitants are feeling in terror, the dispatch said.

The reds also claimed the capture of Mariutol, an important port on the sea of Azov.

Another Bolshevik wireless claimed that admiral Kolchak, head of the all-Russian government in Siberian had resigned.

## W.C.T.U. TO CELEBRATE

Will Hold Watch Meeting as Prohibition Amendment Takes Effect.

A victory watch meeting of the Columbia W.C.T.U. will be held from 9 to 12 o'clock the night of January 15 at the Methodist Church to celebrate the ratification of the Federal prohibition amendment. The week of January 11 has been adopted as Victory Week by the National W.C.T.U., and plans for its celebration are being made by all local unions.

Sunday, January 11, is National Constitutional Prohibition Day, and ministers have been asked to give the matter special attention at Sunday services. January 16, Day of Prayer, is also to be celebrated in many unions as the day when constitutional prohibition becomes operative in the United States.

## TO DEPORT MARTENS

Warrant Is Issued for Bolshevik Ambassador to the United States.

By United Press.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 7.—A warrant for the deportation of Ludwig Martens, self-styled soviet ambassador to the United States, has been issued. Department of Justice officials said today. Officials of the department said the warrant would be served as soon as Martens could be found.

## PLATINUM TOO HIGH TO BUY

University to Replace Only Part of Material Stolen.

The \$10,000 worth of platinum stolen from the University laboratories during the holidays cannot be replaced immediately, as the advance in price of this metal is enormous. At the time when a great deal of the platinum was purchased by the University, the price ranged from 90 cents to \$1 a gram. Now the price is \$5 a gram.

A few small pieces will be bought now, and substitutes will be used in the laboratory experiments as often as possible. A reward of \$200 is offered for any information leading to the recovery of the platinum. Detectives are at work, but no new information is available. The robbery was discovered December 22.

## BREWERS PLAN CLAIMS ON U. S.

Will Ask Damages Because of Premature Lid on Near Beers.

By United Press.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 7.—Claims against the United States totaling several hundred million dollars will be filed by large brewery corporations as a result of the Supreme Court decision Monday that the government exceeded its authority in prohibiting the sale of 2.75 per cent and other near beers before the Volstead Law became effective October 28 last.

## PETITION TO DISSOLVE DISTRICT

Farmers Claim Present Plan Has Failed in Easley District.

A petition to dissolve the Easley special road district was filed with C. W. Davis, county clerk, this afternoon. The petition is signed by the owners of a majority of the acres of land in the Easley special district of Cedar township.

The petitioners state that as now organized the district has failed in its functions as a road district and that the roads within its boundaries have not been marked and kept in repair as they would have been under the former system. The signers ask for the re-establishment of the old road districts which were incorporated into the Easley special district. The county court will hear the petition February 9.

## Sen for Former University Student.

Dr. C. M. Sneed has received an announcement of the birth of a ten-pound boy at the home of his brother, George W. Sneed, last Monday. The brother, who now lives in St. Louis, was graduated from the University of Missouri in 1911, and was at one time student president.

## PEACE MEETING END MAY COME SATURDAY

Exchange of Ratifications to Make Versailles Treaty Effective.

MAY BE MONDAY

New French Cabinet by Jan. 18—Then Another Conference Will Be Called.

By United Press.

PARIS, Jan. 7.—The present Peace Conference will come to an end when the exchange of ratifications makes the Versailles treaty effective either Saturday or Monday, it was learned today.

The French senatorial elections begin Sunday and terminate with the formation of a new cabinet January 18. The French will intimate to the Allies, it is understood, that it is impossible for the present government to undertake any peace problems which cannot be decided by that time. Hence all remaining problems are to be left to the new conference, to be called when the new French cabinet is ready to take part.

The first problem which probably will confront the new conference will be the Fiume question. The next problems will probably be the Hungarian and Turkish peace settlements. The first session of the new conference will probably not be held before the end of this month.

The inter-Allied commission charged with fixing the method of procedure in the trial of Germans guilty of war crimes was in conference today, assigning a list of criminals to each of the Allied countries for trial. A full list of those alleged to be guilty had already been prepared.

## DEMOCRATS MAY BACK TREATY

National Committee to Be Asked for Its Indorsement.

By United Press.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 7.—The Democratic national committee meeting here tomorrow may adopt resolutions putting the party on record as favoring ratification of the Peace Treaty as President Wilson wants it, without reservations which will change its meaning, it was learned today. Such a resolution will be laid before the committee. The resolution will also commend the work of the administration.

Kansas City and San Francisco appear to be leading in the contest to secure the Democratic national convention. Chairman Cummings is said to have asked that all committeemen withhold judgment until the claims of the various cities wanting the convention are placed before the committee.

Cummings said that he understood St. Louis was again running for the convention after once withdrawing in favor of Kansas City.

## BARCLAY RETURNS FROM PARIS

Graduate of University Was Connected With Peace Commission.

Thomas S. Barclay, a graduate of the University in 1915 and later an instructor in political science, has returned from Paris, where he was first connected with the Red Cross and later with the American Commission to negotiate peace. With the Peace Commission, he was in the same division as Dr. Manley O. Hudson, that of international law. In September of last year he became private secretary to Henry White, a member of the commission.

## STEPHENS RE-CONVENES TODAY

More Students Want to Enroll Than School Can Accommodate.

The first classes following the Christmas holidays were held at Stephens College today. Practically all of the girls and faculty have returned, and several students are enrolled for the first time, despite the fact that the new semester will not begin for a few weeks.

"We have already received twenty more applications for the second semester, opening next month, than we can accommodate," said Roy Davis, secretary of Stephens College, this morning. "At that time we will have nearly 500 students."

## SHE WAS CENSUS SHY

Telephone Almost Did Trick Until Ago Was Demanded.

A census taker called twice at a certain house in Columbia. Both times the "lady of the house" was out. The census taker then called up over the telephone and tried to take the census in that way. The experiment proved successful until there came over the wire the request for the woman's age. Then and there the process stopped. The census man had to visit the house again.

## Calls For Bank Statements.

By United Press.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 7.—The comptroller of currency has issued a call for a statement of condition of the national banks at the close of business December 31.