

## THE WEATHER

St. Paul and Vicinity—Warmer.  
Minnesota—Snow Sunday, with rising temperature in east portion. Monday fair.

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## JAPANESE TORPEDO WARSHIP TEN TIMES

## SEVASTOPOL IS REGARDED ENTIRELY DISABLED

## Russian Naval Commander Just From Port Arthur Says the City Is Desolate and Mostly Silent, but He Thinks the Japs Will Never Take It Under Present Conditions

TOKYO, Dec. 18.—The battleship Sevastopol has been successfully torpedoed ten times. Advices from Port Arthur say that she is aground and is evidently completely disabled.

## Port Arthur Is Desolate

CHIFU, Dec. 17.—Commander Mizzenoff, who was executive officer of the Russian battleship Poltava until that vessel was disabled, and who on Dec. 15 headed the party of seven Russians who left Port Arthur in a sailboat and arrived here yesterday with dispatches, said tonight that Port Arthur is desolate, and excepting for the firing of guns, a silent place.

"The Russians," said he, "are handing their artillery ammunition, firing only when the effect will be certain. There are 16,000 men in the line of forts and their periods of rest are few. The generals, except Gen. Stoessel, live in the forts. Every building in the whole town is more or less injured."

"Gen. Stoessel has put the entire population on regular rations sufficient to last three months. The ammunition is sufficient to last much longer. I believe the Japanese will never take the fortress under present conditions."

"Port Arthur never looked more sepiel than on the night of Dec. 9, when the Japanese shells repeatedly hit a hospital, killing seven of the patients. Other patients who were not helpless, fearing for their lives, fled into the snow-covered streets. Clothed in their white hospital garments, maimed, crippled and pallid, they made a ghastly show and it was some time before the provost guard forced them to return to the hospital. A number

died from exposure. The hospitals contain 8,000 patients.

"The Sevastopol is the only warship that has not been disabled. She has been hit once superficially. She sunk one of the Japanese torpedo boats near the harbor entrance. Rear Admiral Wirginus, while going out in the harbor to visit the battleship Retvizan, was slightly wounded in the arm by a fragment of a shell."

When Commander Mizzenoff left Port Arthur it was calculated there was the second Pacific Squadron was within ten days' distance.

## North Sea Commission

PARIS, Dec. 17.—Great activity is manifested in official and diplomatic quarters in connection with the opening Tuesday of the sessions of the international commission which is to inquire into the North Sea incident. The meeting will bring together some of the leading naval and legal figures of the five foremost maritime powers. Besides the Anglo-Russian crisis which the appointment of the commission has averted, it is expected that the meeting will establish precedent affecting international naval conditions and the rights and responsibilities of belligerents in time of war. It is expected the members of the commission will arrive here Monday. The French members are already here. The proceedings will be private until it is formally decided to make them public. The Russian embassy was quite sure today that the sessions will remain private throughout. The admirals will choose a fifth admiral to determine upon some procedure and adjourn until after the holidays.

## THE "SECURITY" UPON WHICH MRS. CHADWICK BORROWED ENORMOUS SUMS OF MONEY

CLEVELAND, Ohio, Dec. 17.—Mrs. Cassie L. Chadwick was arraigned before Judge Wing of the United States district court this afternoon, pleaded not guilty to every charge brought against her, declined to give bail and was remanded to jail to await trial. President Beckwith and Cashier Spear of the Citizens' National Bank of Oberlin were arraigned at the same time and were allowed to depart after furnishing bonds, each to the amount of \$25,000, an increase of \$15,000 over the value of the bond they had previously given.

When Marshal Chandler and Deputy Sampsell arrived at the jail, Dr. Wall, the physician for the government, was called to examine Mrs. Chadwick and decide if she was in condition to stand the trip to the courtroom, a few blocks away. Dr. Wall said that while the woman was in an extremely nervous state, bordering on complete exhaus-

down the three flights of stairs. She was so weak that she had to lean on the arms of both officials.

## Appears Heavily Veiled

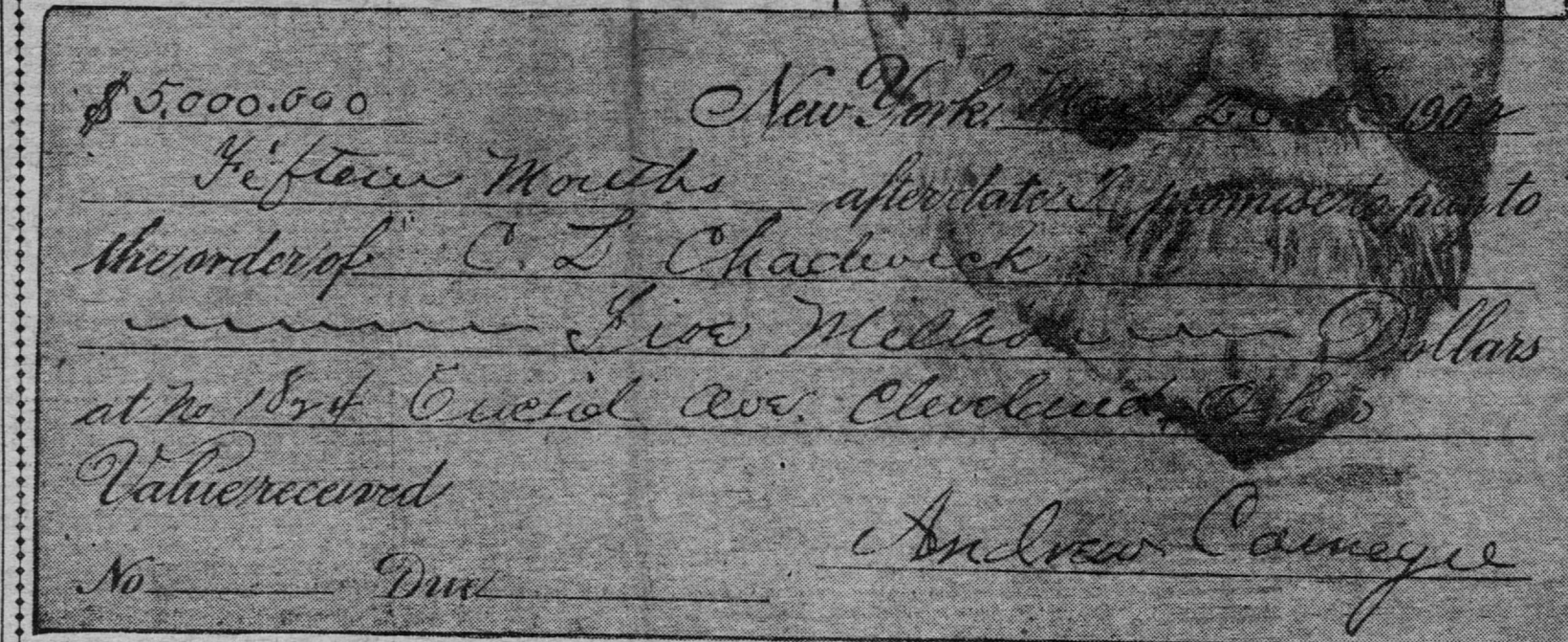
Accompanied by Marshal Chandler and Deputy Sampsell, she entered the courtroom so heavily veiled that it was impossible to see her face. She walked feebly and was supported at every step. As she approached the bar she sank into a chair beside her attorney, J. P. Dawley, and, placing an elbow on a table beside her, supported her head with her hand and remained motionless until the court had adjourned.

Attorney Sullivan said:

"Mr. Beckwith and Mr. Spear, will you please come forward?"

The two men came toward the front of the courtroom and occupied seats directly in the rear of Mrs. Chadwick.

Attorney Sullivan stated to the court the nature of the case against the three



The \$5,000,000 "Carnegie" Note Which Was Attached to an "Agreement." Notice the Difference Between the Signature Above and the One Immediately Below, Which Was at the End of the Agreement, and Particularly the Dissimilarity of the Capital "A."

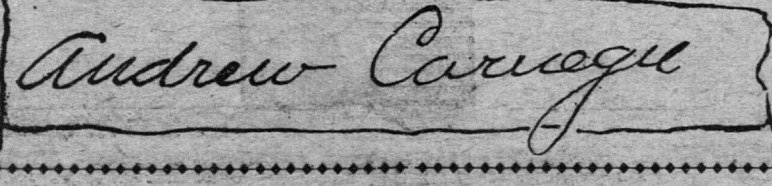
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tion, there was no danger in allowing her to be brought before Judge Wing. A carriage was then called and Mrs. Chadwick was told by the marshal to prepare to leave the jail. She dressed, assisted by the matron, and then went

defendants and turning to Mr. Dawley, said:

"I presume Mrs. Chadwick will waive the reading of the indictments and that

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## SAYS AMERICA WILL RULE THE WORLD

## German Writer Maintains the United States Has Been Europeanized

SPECIAL CABLE TO THE GLOBE  
BERLIN, Dec. 17.—Dr. Wirth, one of Germany's most accomplished publicists contributes an interesting article to a paper here entitled, "The Way to Rule the World." It is the United States for which, according to Dr. Wirth, this future is in store. He follows the course of American history since Jefferson's time, pointing out the inevitableness of it all, that the end will be domination of all the seven seas. The work of imperialism is putting the finishing touches to Jefferson's great scheme. Dr. Wirth's conclusion is characteristic.

"Once," he says, "the Americans were ambitious to create a new and better type of man, and now militarism, boundless naval plans and imperialism are in vogue. After all, has not the old civilization proved itself mightier? Has not the old world conquered the new? Has not the Europeanizing of America been completed?"

## HAD PREMONITION OF FAILING MIND

## Lunn, Who Committed Suicide, Left Strange Document Written in 1893

SPECIAL CABLE TO THE GLOBE  
ST. LOUIS, Mo., Dec. 17.—James T. Lunn, the Sioux Falls man who committed suicide a few days ago in a sanitarium at Flint, Mich., must have had a premonition that he would lose his mind, to judge by a document which is on file in the office of County Judge Bailey in this city. Lunn was suffering from a mental malady and was taken to the Michigan sanitarium for treatment. The document referred to was dated Sept. 5, 1893, and was signed by Mr. Lunn. It requests that in the event that he should at any time be declared non compos mentis his wife or one of his children be appointed as his guardian.

The petition would indicate that long ago Mr. Lunn dreaded a failure of his mental powers. The petition was kept on file and later the county judge heeded it in the appointment of Mrs. Lunn as guardian for her husband. Lunn was a brother of Joseph Lunn, president of the Farmers' Bank of Alexandria, S. D., who on the morning of Aug. 17 last also committed suicide with a shotgun.

## PUT THEM ON FARMS

## London Woman Would Send Poor Children to Canada

SPECIAL CABLE TO THE GLOBE  
LONDON, Dec. 17.—Mrs. Elton Close, of Eaton square, has devised a scheme for bringing up England's pauper children in the bright and healthy surroundings of colonial farms instead of in gloomy workhouses. Mrs. Close today thus explained her proposal:

"My suggestion is that boards of guardians should be empowered to purchase small farms of from 200 to 300 acres in Canada. From fifteen to twenty children would be sent to each farm. Enormous sums are being spent on pauper children in this country at present. Every 200 children cost £54,000, an average of £275 per head. A building in Canada would cost only £1,000, compared with £4,000 in England. A practical farmer, two women and two servants would be in charge of each home."

## GET CANADA'S WHEAT

## Dealer Says Grain From All Countries Should Come Free

SPECIAL CABLE TO THE GLOBE  
NEW YORK, Dec. 17.—It was announced today in produce exchange circles that the great flour mills of the country continue steadily to import wheat from Canada. The Buffalo elevator firm of James W. Whitney stated it had imported and paid duty on 50,000 bushels of Canadian wheat which was sold to Eastern mills.

Thomas McIntyre, who for years has been the foremost grain dealer of New York, said tonight:

"I strongly favor revision of the tariff, not only on wheat but upon many other articles. The conditions of this country demand that Canadian wheat, if not the wheat of all countries, should come in free of duty. All Canadian products should come into the United States free."

## OBJECT TO EJECTION

## Newspaper Men Turned Out of Court by Force

NEW YORK, Dec. 17.—A scene of unusual disorder was witnessed in the supreme court in Brooklyn today, where Justice Marean, during a hearing in the case of Mabel Spang, daughter of the Pittsburgh steel manufacturer, ordered that admission to the building be denied all newspaper men. Some of them took exception to the authority of justice in ordering them from the building, and declined to leave. Attendants were then ordered to clear the corridors and eject the unwelcome ones, but they met with violent opposition and for a time serious trouble was imminent. The corridors were finally cleared after a hard scrimmage.

The hearing in the case of Miss Spang, who, it is alleged, has been wrongfully confined in an insane asylum, was continued behind closed doors.

## IS ARRAIGNED, BUT ENTERS NO PLEA

## Dr. Koch Will Probably Say "Guilty" or "Not Guilty" Tomorrow

SPECIAL CABLE TO THE GLOBE  
NEW ULM, Minn., Dec. 17.—Dr. George R. Koch was arraigned in court today. The indictment charging him with murder in the first degree for killing Dr. L. A. Gebhard, was read to him by Gen. H. W. Childs. He was given a copy of the indictment and after glancing at it passed it over to his attorney, George W. Somerville.

When the question was put to him, "Guilty or not guilty?" Judge Webber informed him he need not answer, as he could plead Monday. At that time the prosecution will undoubtedly ask for more time in which to prepare for one of the most interesting and sensational murder trials ever before a court in the Northwest. Dr. Koch looked somewhat pale, but otherwise did not show signs of a breakdown, and is keeping his composure under trying conditions.

It has not been learned what defense will be made, but it is expected that Dr. Koch's attorneys will attempt to convince the jury that he was at home when the murder was committed. The state, however, asserts that Koch's alibi will not stand the test, as it claims to have conclusive evidence to the contrary.

The attempt of Attorney H. N. Somers, brother-in-law of Dr. Koch, to involve Fritz Hauert, a former tenant on a farm three miles south of the city, has not been successful. The latter part of October his wife left him on account of domestic difficulties, and on Sunday, Nov. 6, he left his home and has not been seen since.

Dan Williams, a nearby farmer, claims that the hammer with which Dr. Gebhard was killed was seen by him in Hauert's possession when he was a tenant. His story is discredited, as the hammer belonging to Hauert had no claws, both being broken off, while the hammer used by the murderer had only one of the claws partly broken off. Very little credence is placed in Williams' story. Hauert does not answer the description of the murderer given in Brooks' testimony at the coroner's inquest, being rather stout with a heavy mustache and light hair, while the murderer had dark hair.

## FOOTPADS ROB AND SLUG A FARMER

## Take Christmas Money From Unconscious Victim and Leave Him Bound

While driving home Friday night, Christ Leibel, a farmer living north of the city, was held up and robbed by three men who pounded him to insensibility and left him tied in the box of his wagon. The footpads succeeded in escaping with between \$35 and \$40.

Leibel had disposed of a load of Christmas trees and had just come out of the city and was driving along Rice street when he was stopped about 8 o'clock near the Soo Line crossing.

## Thieves Had Wagon

The thieves had a wagon in which one man was riding. Two men were walking and they accosted Leibel.

"Hello, farmer! Where are you going?" they said, and while one man held Leibel's horse the others sprang into the wagon. He fought desperately, but was overpowered. The thieves, not content with holding him, knocked him unconscious with a blow on the head.

After taking what money he had in his possession they tied his hands and drove away in their wagon.

## Horse as Rescuer

When Leibel recovered consciousness he found himself bound and unable to rise. His horse was walking slowly and soon he saw that the animal was approaching a house. He then cried loudly for help, and a farmer, John Wild, came out and found him.

The horse had turned down a byway which was used as a short cut to Leibel's home, and had passed a branch road without guidance.

Leibel's hands were untied by Wild and after recovering slightly from the effects of the treatment he had received he proceeded to his home. Leibel said he thought the men who held him up came from Rice Lake.

## ACTOR GOES MAD ON THE HAMBURG STAGE

## Manager Hisses Him and He Is Sent to an Asylum

HAMBURG, Dec. 17.—Ludwig Forst, who had been playing a leading role here in the first production of Oscar Wilde's "Duchess of Padua," went mad on the stage of the Hamburg theater last night. During the second act the audience noticed his strange behavior. There was some applause at the fall of the curtain and Forst ran out bowing.

The manager of the theater, who was sitting in a proscenium box, hissed, and Forst seemed struck with horror and had to be assisted from the stage. He was found to be demented and was sent to an asylum.

## Banishes Slot Machines

SPECIAL CABLE TO THE GLOBE  
HASTINGS, Minn., Dec. 17.—Chief of Police Ingalls, at the instance of Mayor West, has ordered all slot machines out of town.

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