

The Daily British Whig

BEGIN THIS NEW YEAR RIGHT, TAKE ADVANTAGE OF COLLEIER'S JANUARY SPECIALS IN MEN'S WEAR. Watch Our Windows.

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LAST EDITION

THE REPARATION DEMAND REDUCED

The Supreme Council Decides on Wording of Note to German Delegation.

ONLY ABOUT 275,000 TONS

INSTEAD OF 400,000 TONS TO BE DEMANDED

For the Scapa Flow Sinkings—The Letts Have Broken the Bolshevik Dvina Front.

(Canadian Press Despatch) Paris, Jan. 5.—The Supreme Council this morning finally decided on the wording of the note to the German delegation confirming the verbal statement regarding indemnity for the Scapa Flow sinkings made to Baron Kurt Von Lersner by Secretary Dutasta, of the peace conference. It is understood that this note virtually reduces the demand for reparation from four hundred thousand tons to about two hundred and seventy-five thousand tons of dock and harbor materials. This note will be delivered at the time the protocol is signed.

Letts Break Bolshevik Front.

(Canadian Press Despatch) Copenhagen, Jan. 5.—Despatches from Riga to-day declare that Lettish troops have broken the Bolshevik front along the Dvina. Numerous prisoners have been taken, together with much booty. It is asserted. Two divisions of Letts, supported by the Baltic landwehr, attacked the Bolsheviks on a wide front, despatches say. Very heavy fighting followed, resulting in the penetration of Bolshevik positions on the first day. The attack was repeated, the Red lines pierced and the Dvina crossed. The advance continues, the Bolsheviks retreating rapidly.

THE COUNTY COUNCIL

Will Have a Number of New Members This Year.

The first meeting of the County Council has been called for Tuesday, January 27th. When the council holds its first meeting some new faces will be seen. To-day a number of elections are taking place in the county. In the township of Kingston there is a keen fight for the deputy reevehip between John Heaton and J. L. F. Sproule. In Bedford the fight for reevehip between Patterson and Beah is keen. Mr. Patterson was in council last session. R. A. Hamilton, who sat in the council for Hinohinbrooke, will again return to the fold, as Thomas Howes, reeve last year, decided to drop out. In Loughboro Charles Truscott and Robert McFadden are contesting. The fight in Pittsburg is between Messrs. Matland and Spence. Mr. Matland sat in the council the last two years.

The other men who will sit in council are: Charles McGregor, Barrie; F. J. Wansley, Bedford; Hiram Clark, Gardiner Island; J. A. B. Clark, Kingston township; J. A. Cox, Olden; Fred Dennison, Portland A. Gray, Oso; James Halliday, Portmouth; David Gemmel, Palmerston; William Spink, Wolfe Island; Andrew McFadden, Storrington. It is altogether likely that the race for the wardenship will be between Andrew McFadden and F. J. Wansley.

STOCK MARKETS.

Quotations Furnished by Bongard, Ryerson & Co., 237 Bagg Street.

New York Stocks.	Opening	Close
Atchison	85	84 1/2
B. & O.	33 1/2	32 1/2
C.P.R.	132 1/2	132
Marine	51 1/2	50 1/2
Marine, pfd.	111 1/2	111
N. Y. C.	76 1/2	76
Reading	73 1/2	73
Southern Pac.	104 3/4	103 3/4
Union Pacific	123 1/2	123
Am. Loc.	105 1/2	104
Anacosta	64 1/2	64
Bothlehem Steel	101 1/2	100 1/2
Int. Nickel	25 1/2	25 1/2
Rep. Steel	122 1/2	120 1/2
U.S. Steel	103 1/2	102 1/2

Canadian Stocks.

Brazilian	50 1/2	51
Can. Steamship	76	75 1/2
Can. Loco.	970	970
Dom. Steel	75	75
Steel of Canada	88 1/2	88 1/2

Hundreds are Vaccinated. The response of the people to the recommendation of the city council and the board of health that they get vaccinated as a precaution against the smallpox epidemic, seems to have been quite general. About 100, including city and Queen's students, were vaccinated at the General Hospital. The official vaccinators, Drs. E. Arnove, Crowley and Richardson, have had all they could attend to, accounting for about 400, mostly children attending the city schools. The school teachers report that nearly fifty per cent of the children have been vaccinated to date, which is very large, considering that vaccination was not made compulsory.

The United States Supreme Court on Monday declared constitutional the section of the Volstead act prohibiting the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquors containing one half of one per cent or more of alcohol. Beer containing 2.75 of alcohol is illegal.

The death rate in Madrid is increasing alarmingly. The city is in the grip of a triple epidemic—pneumonia, typhus and influenza.

ONLY ENGLISH AID CAN SAVE HUNGARY

(Canadian Press Despatch) Vienna, Jan. 5.—From Buda Pest comes word that the monarchial party has begun an active propaganda in favor of an English prince for the Hungarian throne. The Duke of Connaught has been specially named. It is said that the majority of the ministers believe that only the aid of England will save Hungary from economic ruin.

TWO VILLAGES GONE MANY LIVES TAKEN

(Canadian Press Despatch) Mexico City, Jan. 5.—Ten states were shaken by an earthquake last on Saturday night, destroyed at least two villages and caused many deaths in the state of Vera Cruz. Reports indicated that the centre of the seismic convulsion was in the neighborhood of Mount Orizaba volcano, about seventy miles from Vera Cruz. Tecolo and Costlian' villages in the vicinity were virtually destroyed. It is stated there were many casualties.

Shocks Felt At Canary Islands.

(Canadian Press Despatch) Madrid, Jan. 5.—Earthquake shocks were felt among the hills in the interior of Canary Islands yesterday according to a Las Palmas despatch. Great crevices were opened in the earth from which columns of smoke are issuing. A volcanic eruption is feared.

IDENTIFIED AS DEAD, BUT GIRL IS ALIVE

Friends of Miss Brothers Find Out Mistake at the Funeral.

MONTREAL'S BIGGEST PUMP HAS COLLAPSED

(Canadian Press Despatch) Montreal, Jan. 5.—Owing to the collapse this morning of the biggest pumping unit in the Montreal city water works plant, where the employees are on strike for higher wages, the principal residential section will be without high pressure for part of to-day. The city has now completed a system of delivering water by barrels in the outlying parts, which cannot be served owing to its inability to man all the pumps.

WAS SEVERE DEFEAT.

The London Daily News Has a Suggestion.

Rockefeller Mission Gifts.

New York, Jan. 5.—A gift of \$2,000,000 from John D. Rockefeller was included in the sum of \$3,000,000 which the national committee of Northern Baptist Laymen announced to-day had been raised in their victory campaign, which closed December 31st. Mr. Rockefeller contributed \$1,000,000 to the American Baptist home mission society and \$1,000,000 to the foreign mission society.

Three Were Killed.

(Canadian Press Despatch) Juneau, Alaska, Jan. 5.—Two additional bodies have been recovered from the debris of the landslide which wrecked a portion of the main street of Juneau, on Friday. The dead now number three. Two others injured are reported in critical condition.

The Waters To Recede.

(Canadian Press Despatch) Paris, Jan. 5.—The flooded Seine practically ceased to rise early this morning and the temperature was near the freezing point. The belief was expressed that relief from inundation was in sight and that the waters might be expected to recede commencing to-day.

Bubonic Plague In Ukraine.

(Canadian Press Despatch) Bucharest, Jan. 5.—The bubonic plague is epidemic in Ukraine, according to reports received here. The Rumanian frontier, in consequence, has been tightly closed.

Making Good Progress.

(Canadian Press Despatch) London, Jan. 5.—Sir Adam Beck is reported this morning making very good progress back to health.

DELEGATES OF THE BALTIC STATES AND SOVIET RUSSIA AT DORPAT.



Here is the first photograph to reach Canada from the Dorpat Peace Conference, where the Baltic States and Soviet Russia are conferring. The second man from the left is Dr. Solupas, a leader among the Lithuanians in America and delegate of the Lithuanian Government. Seated under the light with his hands on the table is M. Piip, Estonian Foreign Minister. The third from the right is M. Litvinoff, envoy of Soviet Russia. At the extreme right is M. Friedenberg, delegate of the Lettish Government.

RED LEADERS AIMED AT REVOLT

U. S. Agents Have Evidence of Plan For Conquest of State.

BIG "SLUSH" FUND FOUND

TO FURNISH BAIL FOR THOSE UNDER ARREST.

COAST GUARD CREW ALMOST FROZEN

Surf Boat Fills, Water Becomes a Solid Cake; Craft Settles on Ice.

THE LATEST NEWS OF THE WORLD

Despatches That Came From Near and Distant Places.

TIDINGS FOR OUR READERS

PRESENTED IN THE BRIEFEST POSSIBLE FORM.

WHIG'S DAILY CONDENSATION

OF THE NEWS OF THE WORLD FROM TELEGRAPHIC SERVICE AND NEWSPAPER.

MISTAKEN TIME FOR THE ELECTIONS

Hamilton Authorities Are Convinced After Six Years' Trial.

SALE OF WHEAT SURPLUS.

6,000,000 Bushels Exported to Britain, France and Italy.

WILL GET EX-KAISER

But Likely Allies Will Not Punish Him Severely.

ADD LADY ASTOR TO EXHIBIT.

London, Jan. 5.—Lady Astor's fame grows. She has now been asked to sit for a wax effigy of herself, to be exhibited in Madame Tussaud's, the famous London exhibition, which contains statues in wax of all famous emperors, kings, authors and politicians during the past century. It is customary for those honored with a position in Tussaud's to give an article of clothing to drape the figure. Lady Astor is giving the suit she wore when elected.

NEW EXCUSE FOR HITTING WIFE.

Winnipeg, Jan. 5.—When Rudolph Bocher was fined in the police court for beating his wife, he told Magistrate Macdonald that she made him miss church for the first time in fourteen years on New Year's day, and then accused him of going around with other women. His wife said that Bocher hit her over the head because she was half an hour late for church. He was bound over to keep the peace hereafter.

SEEKS A DIVORCE.

Ottawa, Jan. 5.—Notice is given in the Canada Gazette that Frank Fulson, Niagara Falls, electric railway employe, will apply for a divorce from his wife, Pearl May Fulson, now residing in Toronto.

Germans Order Silk Hats.

London, Jan. 5.—The silk hat industry has revised considerably during the past two weeks and the trade is receiving more orders than can be comfortably executed.

TO SPEND \$28,000,000 IN CAMPAIGN.

Washington, Jan. 5.—The Anti-Saloon League expects to spend almost \$28,000,000 in a campaign to enforce prohibition in this country and to extend the no-liquor crusade throughout Latin America and in Europe. This vast sum the prohibitionists hope to raise by popular subscription.

FATHERHOOD OF GOD TRUE BASIS OF PEACE.

London, Jan. 5.—Premier Lloyd George, with the presence of Canada, Australia, New Zealand, South Africa, and Newfoundland, to-day addressed a message to the British people, through the National Laymen's Missionary Movement, urging that all spiritual forces of the world unite to accept the Fatherhood of God as the only permanent foundation for world peace.

NEWS IN BULLETIN.

A British naval force is to be dispatched to the Black Sea.

THREE HUNDRED SEIN FEINERS AT-TACKED.

Three hundred sein feinners attacked the police barracks at Carrigrohilly, Ireland, and blew it up with bombs.

SCORES OF PERSONS WERE KILLED IN A VIOLENT EARTHQUAKE.

Scores of persons were killed in a violent earthquake which occurred throughout Mexico last night.

THREE HOLD-UPS OVER THE WEAK-AND IN TORONTO.

There were three hold-ups over the weak-end in Toronto.

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DRAGNET TO BE KEPT ON MOVE

There Will Be a Great Round-Up of the Reds.

TO CATCH ALL MARKED

UNITED STATES AUTHORITIES WILL BE THOROUGH.

To Call in All Radicals For Examination and Possible Deportation—New York Heads List With 800 Arrests.

Chicago, Jan. 5.—Nation-wide raids on radicals have bagged 6,483 suspected Reds in fifty-one cities, according to figures reported here. The raids may continue for two or three days, or until all of those marked for examination and possible deportation are caught, according to Federal officials here.

New York, with 800 arrests, heads the list. Boston and Detroit have each reported six hundred and twenty each reported 600; Chicago, 550, including a large number taken by state officials; 200 in New Hampshire; 164 at Philadelphia; 100 each in Cleveland, Trenton, Youngstown, Ohio, and Brookton, Mass.

Many Perfect Cases.

Washington, Jan. 5.—Assistant Attorney-General Garvan, in charge of the raids, said more than 2,000 persons were held on "perfect cases," and that the raid promised to be not only the greatest in scope, but also the greatest in results of any in history.

In every city where the raiding machinery was set in motion, he said, success attended the efforts. Four thousand warrants were issued, but the arrests exceeded that number.

Besides the 2,000 "perfect cases," Mr. Garvan said, federal agents obtained sufficient evidence to justify the arrests of the others.

Scores of parlor Bolsheviks were among those arrested in the raids, officials said. These, it was admitted, may have to be dealt with under state law.

The United States transport Killpatrick, sister ship of the Buford, now on the high seas, with the first contingent of deported radicals, probably will be used to transport the second contingent.

Communists to Continue.

It was said at Ellis Island that the sailing date for the second "Soviet ark" probably would be Jan. 10th. Army transports America and President Grant may be used to transport radicals back to Soviet Russia, it was announced. Harry Wintsky, secretary of the communist party of New York, was released on his own recognizance by order of Chief Flynn and given until Tuesday to prove his American citizenship.

"The communist movement will continue with increased efforts despite the nation-wide raids against our members," Wintsky said.

"The communist party is a legal party, and we will take the case to the supreme court, if necessary, to determine this legality. The party has no connection with the union of Russian workers, the socialists or anarchists and is opposed to all of them as a menace to the efforts of the working classes to secure control of the government."

Ringleaders Held.

Among those taken into custody, were men regarded by the government as ringleaders in anarchist propaganda. Other leaders are being sought. Evidence gathered by department of justice agents will be turned over to the department of labor, which will be asked to deport the radicals. Not all of those arrested will be held.

In fact, many already have been given their liberty, but officials of the department of justice are confident that the deportations to Russia from the raid will break the backbone of the communist agitation in the United States. A new feature of the present raid was the drive at 20 sources of propaganda. The communist party alone had twenty-five newspapers printed in seven languages, actively supporting its cause. The communist labor group, the second radical contingent against which the raids were directed, was said not to have gained the strength in propaganda through its newspapers so much as through literature, tons of which were taken in the thirty-three cities where raids were conducted. In addition to the newspapers the communist party was actively engaged in soliciting support for its cause through allied agitators. Scores of these agitators were arrested.