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LABOR DELEGATION URGES HAD A PERMANENT ARIE BOARD BE NAMED TO ENFORCE REGULATIONS

Moore and Draper Present Statement of Facts and Opinions On Relationship of Labor to Tariff, to Government Commission Appointed to Investigate Question—Object to Cutting of Melons and Watering of Stocks.

Ottawa, Jan. 3.—Canadian Press.—Representing two hundred thousand workers, male and female, organized into two thousand local unions, Messrs. Tom Moore, president, and P. M. Draper, secretary-treasurer, of the Trades and Labor Congress of Canada, today presented to the Dominion commission of inquiry on tariff a statement of facts and opinions on the relationship of labor to the tariff. The statement points out that the congress is a non-political body.

ARMENIAN ARMY IN FLIGHT—REDS ARE IN CONTROL

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PROTECTION ASKED
Georgian Minister Appeals Against Bolshevik Treaty Infractions.

Constantinople, Jan. 3.—News from Armenia continue confused. The territory of the Armenian republic is the scene of important military movements of Russian troops. The country appears to be in a state of complete anarchy. The bulk of the Armenian army has been withdrawn from the front and is now in the hills, and many towns and villages are being looted. The Georgian foreign minister has appealed to Soviet Russia and the civilized world for protection against Bolshevik infractions of treaties, whereby supplies of food and other necessities were sent to the front.

PENROSE ADVOCATES MORE CONSIDERATION OF TARIFF QUESTION

U. S. Senator Returns After Illness of Year.

Washington, Jan. 3.—With Senator Penrose of Pennsylvania, chairman of the senate finance committee, back in the senate after an absence of more than a year occasioned by illness, the committee prepared to begin consideration today of the emergency tariff bill recently passed by the House, which it is believed would check the importation of Canadian wheat. While other members of the committee have not revealed their attitude on the measure, Senator Penrose, after his arrival here several days ago, from Atlantic City, indicated he did not favor the bill. He said he had a few suggestions for amendment of the tariff rates in advance of general tariff revision. He expressed the opinion that the entire tariff question should be given deliberate consideration as a whole.

SERBIAN GOVERNMENT TAKING MEASURES TO SUPPRESS COMMUNISM

Inciters of Strikes To Be Severely Punished.

Belgrade, Jan. 3.—The Serbian government is dealing rigorously with the communists who have been active throughout the country. Members of the radical organization are being arrested in scores. The government has been told that the communists have been raiding, and the occupants sent to jail. A number of incriminating documents are said to have been recovered in the headquarters, including the outlines of a plot to assassinate Premier Vemich and three other members of the cabinet.

All the communist newspapers in Belgrade, Agram, Ljubljana and Sarajevo have been suppressed, and soldiers are patrolling the streets of Belgrade. There have been labor disturbances in many sections of Yugoslavia, and the government has issued stringent orders for the summary punishment of those active in strike movements.

Employees Ask Use Of Plant To Make Cars For Themselves

Detroit, Jan. 3.—A petition requesting the use of the Ford Motor Company's plant here for the manufacture of cars for employees was being circulated today among employees today for signature. The request proposes that the company should allow the plant to the workers during the period of the shutdown announced last week. The petition states, will agree to pay for all raw material, and to return the plant in good condition as it is at present. The petition is being circulated by men who call themselves a "committee of Ford workers."

Officials at the plant said they had not heard of the request. The departments of the Highland Park plant were closed today, it was said at the plant.

BALLOONISTS EXPECT TO REACH RAILWAY BY NEXT SATURDAY

All Three None the Worse For Their Experience.

MADE LUCKY LANDING

Indians Provided Christmas Dinner For Trio.

Cochrane, Jan. 3.—Lieut. Walter Hinton, Stephen A. Farrell and A. J. Klor, the United States balloonists, who landed at Moose Factory, on the Hudson Bay, December 14, and who were first heard from yesterday, after they had been searched for for weeks, are in excellent spirits, and apparently none the worse for their experience, according to latest reports received here.

Immediately on their landing a party of Indians were dispatched by the Hudson Bay Company to the nearest telegraph office to notify the outside of the safe landing. The Indians, who were sent to the Hudson Bay Company, were first heard from yesterday. The party of balloonists left Moose Factory on December 27 on their way to the railroad.

Some three hundred miles will have to be traveled by dog team with Indian guides, and it is not expected that the party will reach Mattice, on the C. N. railway, until Saturday, January 5, at the earliest, as traveling in this manner is necessarily slow and deep snow. Due to the heavy winds that were prevailing yesterday, the balloonists were unable to make a safe landing until they hit the ice fields of James Bay, which offered a satisfactory landing place.

The party was observed shortly after their appearance by the Hudson Bay officials at Moose Factory, who immediately sent dog teams and men to their assistance and brought them to the Hudson Bay post, where everything possible was done for their comfort. Their Christmas dinner was probably not quite what they would have had in civilization, nevertheless the Indians gave assurance that there was plenty of a kind.

It is indeed fortunate that they landed at the particular place that they did, as 30 miles away in either direction lies a wide expanse of water, in a wilderness uninhabited by human beings, and their rescue would have been difficult.

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WILL TAKE 3 WEEKS FOR BALLOONISTS TO REACH OUTSIDE TRAIL

Ottawa, Jan. 3.—According to A. H. Grier, inspector of the Ottawa River Fur and Game Commission, the three United States balloonists who landed at Moose Factory, on the Hudson Bay, December 14, will take about three weeks to reach the outside trail, which is the route to the railroad.

G. W. V. A. NOW HAS 900 BRANCHES ALL OVER THE WORLD

Posts Established in London, England, and Copenhagen.

The G. W. V. A. is rapidly extending its activities, and is in process of becoming a worldwide organization, embracing all those who in various countries are working for the peace and the betterment of the world.

MUCH INTEREST IN COUNTY ELECTIONS

New Issues and New Parties Will Figure in Results.

Interest in the county elections today is probably greater than at any time in the previous year. New issues and new parties have added to the complication of the campaign, which is being watched with much interest by the voters.

CONTRACT STIPULATES BOOK PAPER MUST BE SUPPLIED DEPARTMENT

Port Arthur, Jan. 3.—The contract between the Ontario Government and the Provincial Paper Mills, Limited, whereby the company gets a pulp limit of 1,200 square miles and agrees to erect a paper mill in Port Arthur, includes a clause to the effect that the mill will supply all the book paper wanted by the Ontario department of education for a period of 21 years.

900 CARWORKERS RETURN TO JOBS

Albany, N.Y., Jan. 3.—Nine hundred carworkers, employed at the West Albany shops of the New York Central Railroad, who were laid off on December 23, when the shops were closed for an indefinite period, returned to work today.

SLIPPERY PLACES!



Gale in Los Angeles Times.

Disarmament Question Is Being Carefully Considered by U. S. Senate Committee

Washington, D. C., Jan. 3.—The Senate foreign relations committee, which is called in special session today to take up the question of international disarmament, is carefully considering the resolution of Senator Borah, Republican, Idaho, proposing negotiations with a view to a 50 per cent cut in naval construction over a period of years, before the committee for consideration, as was the resolution of Senator Wilson, Democrat, New Jersey, proposing that the United States should appoint a representative of the United States on the disarmament committee of the League of Nations. Democrats generally are disposed to favor the Borah resolution, although they have indicated no hostility to that of Senator Borah.

NORFOLK COUNTY CROWN ATTORNEY SLAUGHT

Held Office For Past Twenty-Three Years.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Since, Jan. 3.—There passing away at his home here this morning Thomas R. Sligh, crown attorney for the County of Norfolk. He was 64 years of age, and had held the office of crown attorney for the County of Norfolk for the past twenty-three years. He was a native of Norfolk, and had been a resident of this county for many years. He was a member of the Norfolk County Association, and was a very active and popular member. He was a very successful lawyer, and was a very popular member of the community. He was a very successful lawyer, and was a very popular member of the community.

Theatre Ticket Prices Reduced In New York

New York, Jan. 3.—Reduction of the price of theatre tickets in New York has been followed in New York by the productions of Sam H. Harris, president of the Theatre Managers' Association. Beginning tonight, the top price will be \$2.50 instead of \$3. In making the announcement, Mr. Harris expressed the hope that other managers would take similar action.

QUEBEC POLICE LOOK FOR EARLY SOLUTION OF MURDER MYSTERY

Detectives Expected to Make Arrest At Any Time.

Quebec, Jan. 3.—That there will be some sensational developments shortly in the Blanche Gagnon murder mystery case, which has been kept before the public almost constantly since the appearance of the girl on July 22, 1930, is intimated here by officials of the attorney-general's department.

PREMIERS TO HOLD CONFERENCE IN PARIS

Question of German Disarmament To Be Discussed.

Paris, Jan. 3.—The meeting between Premier Leger, Lloyd George and Giolitti, which has been prominently anticipated in recent discussions, will be held in Paris this week. The meeting is expected to discuss the question of German disarmament, and will be a very important one.

U. S. NAVAL SEAPLANE IS REPORTED SAFE

San Diego, Jan. 3.—After being without definite news from the F-5-L seaplane since the night of December 31, the naval air station here today announced that the seaplane was safe and had been reported safe.

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COLERIDGE OR SMITH LIKELY TO HEAD THE BOARD OF EDUCATION

Chairman of No. 1 Committee Likely Choice.

CENTRAL SCHOOL

Advocates Will Boost For Edwin Smith.

Who will be chairman of the board of education for 1931, a year which promises to be one of the most momentous in the city's history, is a question that is already exercising the minds of the trustees.

While there is no definite or announced policy in connection with the election of the board of education, it has been the custom for many years to pass the honor on to the chairman of No. 1 committee of the board, and follow this custom.

CITY'S BUILDING STANDARD OVER \$2,000,000 YEAR

This Figure Has Been Passed For Two Years in Succession.

230 DWELLINGS BUILT

Factories Added \$151,500 to the Building Records of 1930.

Two million dollars has been definitely established as the minimum amount of building to take place in the city of Toronto in 1931. Building Inspector A. M. Piper asserted today in issuing his 1930 report, for two years in succession this total has been surpassed.

Burning of Irish Town Condemned By British Press

Methods of Reprisal Adopted by Authorities Not Considered Just.

London, Dec. 3.—A number of the morning papers contain comment on the burning of the Irish town of Midleton on Saturday. The British press has condemned the burning of the town, and has expressed its sympathy for the Irish people.

CONSTANTINE CONFERS ITALIAN CORRESPONDENT

Athens, Jan. 3.—King Constantine has begun the holding of audiences. Queen Sophie, acting for Constantine today, bestowed his first audience on a foreigner, the Italian newspaper correspondent Sughianti, who has been reporting the royal propaganda in Italy.

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SUPPORTERS OF BOTH COLEGATE PLANS SATISFIED WITH RESULTS

Acknowledge Balance of Power Is Held by Separate School Trustees Appointed to Board of Education.

Supporters of both the central school and the unit school schemes claimed this morning to be well satisfied with the result of the board of education election on Saturday, representative trustees on both sides declaring the result a win for their own side.

With regard to the fact that the election has resulted in an evening up of the number of public school representatives supporting the two schemes, the trustees declared that the present time to make any comment beyond acknowledging that it leaves the balance of power in the hands of the two separate school supporters.

Trustee A. N. Udy, in conversation with the press, said that the result of the election sizes up all right from his point of view. The fact that of the two of these men seeking election, Mr. Udy said: "I have known how to account for it. There has been a certain amount of question in the minds of the electors as to whether women trustees have served the purpose of the school scheme. It is to my mind a very definite index of public opinion on the matter. If the whole board had been up for election, I have little doubt the result would have been in the same ratio and a decided win for the central school plan."

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Fortunes of War. "With regard to the result of the election of the unit school trustees, I think this was mainly a case of the fortunes of war. Neither of them did any extraordinary thing. The result of the election behind them was on a small scale compared to previous occasions."

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Witnesses' Stories Differ. Raphael Sabine, who had been in the city since the kidnapping, said that he had seen Doughty on the evening of December 2, 1930, and that he had seen him on the evening of December 3, 1930.

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