

28,000 FORD EMPLOYEES GET WAGE INCREASE OF \$1 A DAY; MINIMUM SCALE TO BE \$6

Henry Ford Resigns as President and Son, Edsel, Succeeds Him at Salary of \$150,000 a Year—Henry Ford to Devote More Time to the Tractor Industry.

Detroit, Mich., Jan. 2.—A new minimum wage scale of \$6 a day a flat increase of \$1 a day for approximately twenty-eight thousand employees throughout the country, was announced today by the Ford Motor Company. Employees of the Ford tractor interests also are included in the increase. This new wage minimum becomes effective today.

PREMIER BORDEN IS SUCCESSFUL IN ADDING TORTURES

Believed That Proposals Put Forward to the British Government in Behalf of Dominion Are Approved.

London, Jan. 6. (Special Cable from John W. Daffoe).—The coming peace conference is subject of unlimited discussion and speculation in the British and continental press. Many reports and public opinion are immediately followed by official correction and denials. Most of the leading newspapers made the definite statement that the peace conference was to open on January 13, but they now publish the fact, noted in this correspondence some days ago, that the meetings in Paris, beginning on January 13, are simply preparatory exchanges of views between the delegates of the Allied nations and that the formal conference at Versailles must await the conclusion of the negotiations.

BERLIN DOESN'T NEED POLICING

Army of Occupation Expects to Control—Mission Goes to Take Photographs.

Coblenz, Jan. 6.—The general opinion among the American Army of Occupation is that it will not be necessary to send troops to Berlin for policing.

CHRISTMAS STATISTICS

Table with 2 columns: Category and Value. Includes statistics for Christmas morning, children, and other festive events.

SPARTACUS GROUP SEIZE NEWSPAPER

Amsterdam, Jan. 6.—The Spartacus group Sunday evening made another attempt to seize the reins of power in Berlin, and occupied the office of the Wolff Bureau, the semi-official news agency. The last telegram received here from the Wolff Bureau announced the seizure of the office.

COL. THEODORE ROOSEVELT DIED YESTERDAY AT HIS HOME AT OYSTER BAY

His Death, Unexpected, Resulted from Blood Clot in the Lung—The Personification of True Americanism was Col. Roosevelt—Life Full of Activity and Achievement—Made Antagonists But None Questioned His Patriotism, His Courage or His Devotion to Duty—The Nation Honors His Memory.



COLONEL THEODORE ROOSEVELT

resigned in 1895 to become New York city's police commissioner. His resignation was the result of his administration of the city's police force, which was widely criticized.

Born a Weakerling. Of Dutch ancestry, born in New York city on Oct. 27, 1858, in a house in East Twenty-third Street, the baby Theodore was a weakerling. He was one of four children who came to Theodore and Martha Bulloch Roosevelt.

NO AIRPLANE SERVICE YET

British Air Ministry Says Many Difficulties Must be Overcome Before Passenger or Commercial Service Can be Maintained.

London, Jan. 6.—(Correspondence of The Associated Press).—There will be no passenger or commercial airplane service from England to any other country until complete plans are formulated for regulating and controlling air traffic, says an official of the British Air Ministry.

THE FREEDOM OF THE SEAS PHRASE LOOSE AND VAGUE

In Time of Peace Seas Have Always Been Free to Everybody Who is Not a Pirate or a Criminal and This is Mainly Due to the British Navy Which Has Policed the Ocean Highways.

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Attempt on Life. One of the most dramatic incidents in Roosevelt's life occurred during this campaign. As he was leaving a hotel in Milwaukee to go to a meeting held at the home of a friend, a man standing among the spectators in the street fired a shot which struck the colonel and smashed a rib. Roosevelt insisted he was not seriously hurt and his automobile conveyed him to the hall. There he spoke to an audience which had knowledge of what had happened.

TEMPS SUPPORTS WILSON'S THESIS

Believes That a New System of Equilibrium is Inconceivable Except by Creation of League of Nations.

Paris, Jan. 5.—"It is not difficult to divine," says the Temps in an editorial, "that President Wilson desires an equitable arrangement between the Italians and Jugos-Slavs, and between the Italians and Greeks, but even war-time for laws of traffic and to protect civilian passengers and mercantile seamen from massacre."

TROOPS LACK DISCIPLINE

The Evacuation of the Ukraine by Germans Proving Extremely Difficult.

Amsterdam, Jan. 6.—The evacuation of the Ukraine by the German troops is proving extremely difficult, according to a Berlin official dispatch. Some of the reasons for this are the lack of discipline which has existed for some time past has now become a source of danger to the German troops.

CURED OF DYSPEPSIA

BY USING BURDOCK BLOOD BITTERS

The symptoms of dyspepsia are so numerous and diversified in different individuals that probably no description could exactly represent them as they occur in any given case, but a few of the most prominent are a rising and souring of food, pain, flatulence and distention of the abdomen. A sensation of discomfort after every meal, which is sometimes followed by sickness and vomiting.